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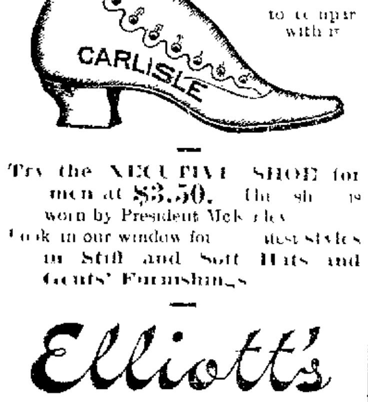

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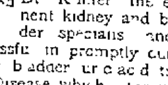

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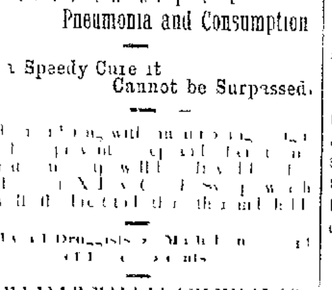

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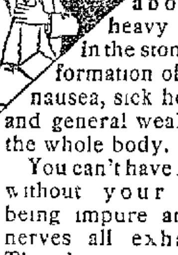

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DEAD GYPSY'S EFFECTS

Peculiar Sacrifice to Memory of Head of the Family

At the old gypsy camp along the creek at Hollywell Paper Mill says a Chambersburg dispatch of the 3d, this afternoon was performed a religious ceremony unique in this place. Old Seth Lovel head of the wealthy and respected family of gypsies who make their winter home in Elizabeth, N J and who came here from England over thirty years ago died last fall in a hospital in Philadelphia. He was buried in his lot in Evergreen Cemetery, in Elizabeth.

For many years he and his family have spent their summers around here, and over winter have stored his magnificent caravan which cost $1,600 with a carriage firm here. This morning his widow Rhody, his cousin, Israel Smith, Will Smith and wife and Novells, an adopted son, came here for the last rites to Seth's memory.

They got the van, took it to the old camping ground where the tents were pitched and saturating it with kerosene set fire to the wagon. In it were piled his bedding, a dozen suits of clothes, a double set of harness worth $250 a new double barrel shot gun, lace and other things which went up in flames.

The old woman superintended every thing amid wails and writhings of grief. It was a singular sight, but was so quietly done that but a score of people saw it. Seth's favorite horse is to be killed and another smaller van will also be burned.

The affair was one of deep sorrow to all the gypsies and not an empty show. In L... tribes a few years ago Israel Smith did the same thing with his wife's wagons and effects after her death.

BUNSEN AND VEAL CUTLETS

Absentmindedness was a marked trait in Bunsen's character and many amusing anecdotes are told of the difficulties it brought him. The statement that he remained a bachelor because he forgot his wedding day is of course apocryphal, as is the other about putting on a suit of garments on the top of others that he had forgotten to take off, but the following came under my personal observation.

Bunsen used to dine every day at a little table ... lived ... in a restaurant connected with the hotel in which I lived. One spring he fell into the habit of ordering veal cutlets and asparagus as the ... item for his meal, and without reflection or feeling that a change of diet would be agreeable he continued to order "Kalbs cotelette und spargel" daily for several weeks until one day the kellner ... informed him that asparagus was no longer in season and could not be supplied.

Bunsen seemed to be immensely taken aback, and to realize for the first time that he had been dining on one dish for a long period. He soon recovered himself, however, and asked the waiter for the bill of fare, from which, after careful examination, he ordered mutton chops and peas, and this was his daily diet up to the time I changed my hotel. —Sci...

"I'll ... very much, Mr Ardup," the young heiress said, "but I cannot marry you. I will be equally frank, Miss Billion," he replied, picking up his hat. "I don't like you at all, but I would marry you in a minute. I am more self sacrificing than you are. Good evening." —...

"I think," said the father, reaching for the switch, "it's about time you were chastising a little. You're a bad egg." "Believing that," replied the incorrigible youth, "do you think you'll have a very pleasant time beating me?"

"The race is not always to the swift," remarked the man who loves to quote. "No, not always," replied the practical man, "but if the ... weren't swift they'd very probably cease to be a race."

Our grand business is not to see what lies dimly at a distance, but to do what lies clearly at hand —Carlyle

For the Compiler

THE ABORIGINES OF ADAMS COUNTY.

When our ancestors first came to this part of the country to form settlements they found it inhabited by Indians, who were divided into distinct tribes, spoke different dialects of a common language, and lived principally by hunting and fishing. The particular tribe or family occupying this region were known to the English as the Delaware Indians, but they called themselves the Lenni Lenapes, or the Original People. This name, it would appear, they adopted from a belief that they were superior in all respects to any of the neighboring tribes.

CHARACTERISTICS

The aspect of these strange people was grave even to sadness. At the same time they were modest and respectful, and, however ignorant and degraded, there was about them a native dignity that commanded respect. They were in general well formed and tall, being near the height of Europeans. There was among them a great uniformity of color, which was often compared to that of copper, but which might be said to be nearer the complexion of well smoked ham.

Among their prominent features were high cheek bones, with the face, in the line below the eyes, uncommonly wide, long, sleek, black hair, finer than a horse's mane, but much resembling it. A beard was universally considered disgraceful, and was plucked out with great perseverance. Their foreheads were almost invariably low and retiring. They were remarkably straight and well limbed, and a deformed person was rare among them. Their general health was good, and they were capable of enduring great fatigue and severe hardships. The Indian has rightfully been called the "Stoic of the forest," the man without a tear. It has been said that, in the case of amputation and other surgical operations, their nerves and muscles do not shrink and contract as do those of whites.

They often lived to a great age, but none of them were much esteemed unless they possessed great physical strength. When parents or relatives became aged and feeble, it was considered an act of mercy for the next of kin to release them from the sorrows of life. They did not allow themselves to be hurried in their words and actions by an intemperate warmth, except in cases of hatred toward their enemies, which sometimes carried them into excess.

Should an Indian be away from his family many months in war or hunting, and be met by his wife and children on his return, he continues on homeward without taking the slightest notice of them, and when he arrives at his wigwam he sits down and smokes his pipe with an air of utter unconcern. It may be hours or days before he relates his experiences while away, although a father, a brother, or a son may have been left dead on the field. If he in hunting, goes many days without food and should happen to call at the hut of a friend, he is careful not to show the least impatience in his famishing condition, lest he should seem to be wanting in fortitude and be called a woman.

An Indian seldom jests, and generally speaks in monosyllables and in a low tone. Wordiness and boasting are to him a sure indication of a weak and silly person, whose deeds are less just in proportion as his words are more. If informed that his son has taken many scalps, he says, "It is well; if his son is slain, he says, "It does not signify," and yet there are many proofs of parental and filial affection that vie with those in the cherished tales of antiquity.

If an Indian knows that a friend of his is in danger of being killed, he does not tell him so in plain words, but he asks, in an indifferent manner, what way he is going that day, then, with the same indifference, he tells him a dog lies near that spot and might do him harm, and the hint is sufficient. The politeness of a red man never allows him to contradict a statement, it is therefore often difficult to know certainly what impression is made on his mind.

Indians in walking, are remarkable for placing one foot in a right line before the other and seldom turn their toes from that line. When several are traveling together they walk in a line, one after another, in what is called "Indian file." It was a common thing in the early settlements before the Indians had taken their final departure, to see husband and wife, mother and daughter, father and son, or even two equals in age, walking together, apparently engaged in earnest conversation, but never advancing abreast.

DRESS

Before the arrival of the whites the usual dress of the Lenni Lenapes was composed of the skins of wild beasts, which were dressed with great care, and made into robes, petticoats, trousers and blankets. In summer their clothing hung loosely about them, and was, by the men, often laid aside entirely, but in winter they wrapped their garments closely about their waists. Upon their feet they wore shoes without heels generally made of buffalo hide or buckskin, and called moccasins. These were fitted tightly to the shape of the foot, and were gathered at the toes and ankles, and fastened with thongs. In winter they wore snow shoes, consisting of a net work of deer skin thongs upon a frame work of small sticks. Upon the loose edges of the skins which formed their clothing they fastened porcupine quills, and often even the scalps of their enemies. The common dress of the women, who had great regard for the claims of modesty, was an undergarment of leather, which crowned the body, leaving the arms bare, and a skirt of the same material, reaching from the waist to the knees.

PERSONAL DECORATIONS

The Lenapes always manifested much fondness for personal decorations and have, perhaps, as much vanity in respect to their necklaces of fish bones, and their ear rings of sea shells as the most fashionable people in upper tendom for their laces and silks. The quantity and beauty of their ornaments depended not only upon the rank or business of the wearer, but upon the tribe to which he belonged, as well as upon his ambition to wear and his power to obtain. The hair was sometimes braided and decorated with small ornaments of silver, sometimes it was filled with plumes and feathers, and often cut and fashioned into fantastic and whimsical shapes.

Necklaces, arm bands, wrist bands, brooches and buckles made of beads, shells and silver, were commonly used. Sometimes, upon festive occasions, they fastened brass bells and thimbles around their ankles, which produced a tinkling noise, and thus attracted the attention of spectators. Ear-rings of bone, sea shells and stone were very common. The use of paint and grease, by the Indians, can hardly be said to have been solely for the purpose of ornament, for a permanent coat over the whole skin was generally formed by their mixture, serving as much the purposes of utility as of decoration. It was designed to afford protection to the body from cold, as also from the numerous insects which filled the forests in summer, and was also supposed to aid in maintaining the strength of the warrior or hunter, by checking perspiration.

Tattooing consisted in making gashes in the body with some sharp instrument and then filling them with some indelible dye or ink, so as to make images permanent through life. The figures thus formed varied according to the fancy of the individual. The necessity for watchwords and pass-words was, by this means, somewhat removed, as most of the tribes had one figure in common called their totem, by which all the members were at once known. Foppery in dress was confined almost entirely to the men, the women being usually modest and simple in their attire.

HABITATIONS

The dwellings of the Indians were so much alike in their general appearance that Europeans, on their arrival could detect little or no difference in their forms, though the manner of driving the stakes was sufficient to inform an Indian as to the tribe to which it belonged. Most of the tribes constructed their habitations by bending and twisting young trees together, in the form of an arbor, and interweaving with them nets and rushes. At other times they would drive stakes into the ground and cover them with skins. These dwellings were called wigwams. They had no chimneys, and the smoke of their fires was allowed to pass out by an opening left in the top of the tepee. Their doors were merely apertures which, in stormy weather were covered with pieces of pelt. They chose the situations for their villages with great care, and were always guided in their choice by the chances they saw of obtaining plenty of fuel and food. They were never attracted by a picturesque and romantic spot nor by a commanding prospect, but where there were creeks and brooks with fresh water and plenty of fish, there one might always see clusters of Indian huts and wigwams.

FURNITURE

The furniture of the Indians was always of the simplest kinds and of the smallest value. Their beds were composed of mats, skins, leaves, or boughs. One of the early white settlers says, "their fire is instead of our bedclothes. And so themselves and any that have occasion to lodge with them must be content to turn very often to the fire, if the night be cold and they who first wake must repair the fire." Chairs and stools were entirely unknown. Their beds such as they were furnished all the seats they required. They had wooden and stone vessels, and baskets of osier and birch bark. Their cutting implements were of stone, shells, bones or reeds, the use of iron and steel being unknown to them until introduced by the white settlers. Utensils of strange shapes and curious workmanship fashioned by the Indians, the uses of which are in some cases unknown to us, have frequently been found in various parts of the county.

This is particularly true of a certain locality southwest of Round Top, known for many years as "The Indian Field," comprising a tract of about six acres, where many interesting Indian relics have from time to time been found, such as arrow heads, stone axes, tomahawks, beads, necklaces, pipes, broken pottery and petrified human bones. Some years ago a most interesting implement in the shape of a stone axe was found imbedded in the soil of this field by the late Emanuel Bushman, who once published a full description of the relic, and whose grandfather owned the place over a hundred years ago. The axe referred to was nine inches in length, three and a half in width and about an inch and a half in thickness at the poll, tapering to a fairly good edge, and was so hard that steel made no impression on it. Around the middle is a groove for fastening to a handle.

FOOD

The food of the Indians was coarse and plain in the extreme, and totally destitute of seasoning, and although salt springs abounded in some sections of the country, they never regarded salt as an article of much use in cooking. They fed upon the flesh of the bear, buffalo, elk, deer, beaver and raccoon, upon wild geese, turkeys and duck, in short, upon every variety of flesh, fish or fowl the country afforded. In summer they subsisted largely on a mixture of corn and beans, called succotash, of which they were very fond. In winter their food consisted of such vegetables as they could save during the summer, together with acorns, nuts and roots. They sat cross-legged at their meals, or rather with their ankles crossed in front of them, and sometimes they rested in a reclining posture, leaning upon one elbow, in the fashion of the ancient Romans. They had no regular meals, but ate whenever they were hungry, and then in a voracious manner. Their only drink was water, cold and fresh as it bubbled from the spring.

At their banquets the men formed the first groups, in the next were the women, children and dogs, a heterogeneous assemblage, who were often very gluttonous, while the men were comparatively moderate in their eating. It is said that, upon the whole, there never was a people who seemed to care less for the pleasures of the table, and who in reality consumed less than the Indians. They understood and practiced the maxim, though they never heard it expressed, "eat to live, not live to eat." They also made a dish, to this day called hominy, by boiling pounded corn ten or twelve hours.

Of the cooking of the Indians it has been said that it had nothing commendable in it, but that it was performed with little trouble. They had no sauce but a good stomach, which they seldom wanted. They had three ways of cooking the meat and fish. They boiled them in vessels of clay or bark, by putting into them stones heated for the purpose. They broiled their meats in the live coals, or roasted by covering with hot ashes. Another method was to barbecue their meat, which consisted in hanging it up on sticks placed at a short distance from the fire. They used parched corn to a great extent. Sugar they obtained by evaporating the sap of the maple tree, and used it to sweeten their cakes, which were made of ground corn mixed with chestnuts, beans and berries. As has been said, the Indians in early days had no other drink than water, and all kinds of intoxicating beverages were wholly unknown to them. They were not slow, however, in making the acquaintance of spiritous liquors, introduced by the whites. These, which they rightfully called firewater, became the curse of the race, and were the chief instrument of their degradation and ruin. When Indians once fell under the influence of liquor they lost all self command and had rather the appearance and bearing of demons than of men. Even the chiefs gave themselves up to the intoxicating spell, and during its influence appeared to be totally bereft of reason. Many of the horrible outrages committed upon the whites in the early settlements with which the pages of American history are stained were directly brought about by the inebriated condition of the savages at the time. The women, however, were not permitted to engage in drunken revels. It was deemed their province to remain sober and take care of their drunken husbands. When they saw that their spouses were becoming intoxicated they prudently concealed their knives, tomahawks, bows and arrows, and other weapons lest they might do harm in their brawls. Asa...

The Blue Hen's Chickens.

How the Little State of Delaware Received Its Nickname

The sobriquet, "Blue Hen's Chicken," bestowed upon the little State of Delaware, meaningless and absurd as it may seem, possesses no slight significance. It is of military origin and is as old as the State itself, older in fact than the United States, for it originated before the Revolution and in the following manner. A regiment of 800 men was formed in Wilmington, which was called the "Delaware Blues," from the blue uniforms worn by its members. Old chronicles describe this body of soldiers as being perfectly drilled and disciplined, particularly in marching. It was said that their drill was so perfect that in advancing in line a bullet might have passed from one end of the regiment to the other between the ankles of the soldiers without touching a man.

During the War of the Revolution this regiment participated in every action from Long Island to Charleston, and as fast as they fell in battle their ranks were recruited from Delaware alone. One of their officers used to say that he could march all day with them from sunrise to sunset, and when the enemy was retreating, and every one else was tired and sleeping after the day's exertions, his Sussex soldiers would dance around their campfires to the music of a fiddle. They were engaged in 32 pitched battles, and were always the last to retreat. It was but natural therefore, that they became the pride and the boast of Delaware—a State which, small as it was in area is said to have furnished 5,000 men to the patriot cause and in which scarcely a man was left who had not a friend or a relation in the regiment.

Captain Caldwell had a company in this regiment which was recruited from Kent and Sussex counties and was called by the rest "Caldwell's Game Cocks," and the regiment itself after a time was in Carolina nicknamed "The Blue Hen's Chickens" or "The Blue Chickens," as the fun and fancy of their comrades dictated. Captain Caldwell's men distinguished themselves in the South as well as in the North, and their renown became so great that the name of "The Blue Hen" was applied to the State that sent so many brave men to uphold the country's honor. It became a popular saying whenever the recruiting officers visited Delaware that they had gone to get more chickens of her raising, and those who came from Kent were chiefly taken from her forests of white oak. Most of the brave Delaware soldiers died in the battles that marked that long struggle for liberty, and those who at length returned to their homes received but small compensation for their devotion to the flag, beyond the satisfaction of having performed their duty to their country. They were paid off in Continental money, which was as valuable as the Confederate money was in the South at the close of the Civil War. Their services were appreciated, however, by their countrymen, and both soldiers and civilians of the Revolutionary period were untiring in their praises of the Blue Hen and her chickens. Their descendants, too, in Kent for many years after were accustomed to boast that they were cocks of that brood that had been taken from the stooping white oak.

A century and a quarter has passed since the Revolutionary patriots met and conquered the hosts of King George, and from the scattered colonies that received their baptism of blood and fire in that memorable conflict has arisen a great and powerful nation. Wars have left their impress upon the country since then, and the liberty won by blood has cost many thousand lives to maintain. But whether contending against England for American rights on land and sea, fighting the savage foes that were a continual menace during the infancy of the nation, whether at Buena Vista or Monterey, Antietam or Gettysburg, Manila Bay, San Juan Hill or El Caney, or in the Philippine jungles, among the gallant defenders of the flag have been found men from Delaware, whose valiant deeds have amply vindicated the patriotism and prowess of the "Blue Hen's Chickens."

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THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING.

BY HARRIET FRANCINE CROCKER

Young Mrs Wingate ran into her neighbor's house one morning for a friendly chat. In the course of the conversation her neighbor mentioned the fact that dear old Aunt Rachael—who was Aunt Rachael to the whole village—had told her the day before that next Wednesday would be her fiftieth wedding anniversary.

"And how will you and Uncle David spend it?" I asked—you know a golden wedding does not happen every day."

What did the dear old soul say?" inquired Mrs Wingate.

"Why, she said in that demure serene way of hers, 'Oh, David and I will just stay at home, as we always do and take comfort with each other. All the children are so far away that we can't hope to have them with us. Yes, dearie, we will just spend it in the ordinary way, with perhaps a bit of chicken for our dinner if we feel we can afford it. Thee must come over and see us if thee can.'"

"Dear old Quakeress that she is," cried Mrs Wingate, "so we will go over and see them. Milly, I've a great scheme in my head. It popped into it this very minute."

For an hour longer the two young women sat in the cosy sitting room and discussed the idea. There was much to say and many plans to make. At last Mrs Wingate rose. "I positively must go, Milly," she said, glancing at the clock, "but I feel our morning has not been wasted."

"To be sure it has not," said Milly, going with her guest to the door. "We'll carry it out in splendid shape, I tell you, and make that dear old couple's anniversary the happiest of their lives."

It was in September. All the country roads were bright with the splendor and glory of goldenrod. The soft, hazy air of autumn lingered over the quiet valley and made a jaunt through the country a dreamy delight.

Mr Wingate sat on the front seat of his handsome surrey, holding the ribbons over the sleek back of his faithful family horse. On the back seat sat David Elis and Rachael, his wife, their kind old faces alight with pleasure. Mrs Wingate had called for them that afternoon and the dear old lady in a flutter of surprise had said, "Why, Friend Wingate! thee must be going to let us celebrate our anniversary." "To be sure, we'll go for a drive this lovely afternoon. David, hasten and get thee ready!"

In her soft gray bonnet and snowy kerchief, crossed gracefully upon the bosom of her gray gown, she looked so sweet and happy sitting on the back seat that Mr Wingate could scarcely keep his eyes from her kind old face. David, too, in his broad brimmed hat, sat in contented silence listening to his wife's pleasant chatting and enjoying the autumn landscape, which always appealed to his beauty loving soul.

"How beautiful the goldenrod is," exclaimed Rachael. "I do wish Friend Wingate if thee would just as soon that thee would step out and gather me a bunch. Thank thee—how beautiful it is! David, does it not seem like an old friend? Does thee remember how it was blooming 50 years ago to day?"

David laughed softly. "Do I? Do I remember how sweet the little maiden looked when we drove down the river road to the little home I had made for her?"

Mr Wingate discreetly turned his face away just then, or from the back seat he distinctly heard a kiss.

Two hours later the surrey drew up before the small house in which David and Rachael had lived for many years. Mr Wingate helped them out, and then proceeded to tie his horse. Aunt Rachael looked on in pleased surprise. "Why how good of thee!" she said. "Do come in and I'll make thee a cup of tea."

Together they went up the narrow flower bordered walk. The front door stood hospitably open, and they could see white aproned figures within moving about.

"Why, David!" cried Aunt Rachael, "there's some one here! What does it mean? Surely none of the children—"

"Welcome, welcome, Aunt Rachael! And welcome Uncle David! Come right in!" And the startled old lady found herself in half a dozen pairs of arms at once. One kissed her on the cheek, one removed the Quaker bonnet, and one took off the old fashioned gray silk shawl which had been Aunt Rachael's best these many years. Then they led her to her own cushioned rocking chair, and slipped the little old worn footstool under her feet.

Aunt Rachael looked around her humble home in amazement. Goldenrod was everywhere! The room seemed filled with the brightest sunshine from the radiance of the yellow, plumy masses which gleamed out from every available place. Branches shone from behind the old family portraits on the wall, from the quaint old mahogany table, from the corners, from everywhere. Twenty guests had gathered to celebrate the golden wedding, and now they flocked merrily around the bewildered couple, and offered their congratulations. There were tears in Rachael's eyes and a suspicious quiver of David's chin, but when Rachael's dignified white cat walked sedately across the room and leaped into her lap, proudly wearing on his fluffy neck a handsome bow of golden yellow ribbon, both old people joined in the general laugh, and after that everything was easier.

But the supper! A long table had been brought from a neighbor's, and set for all the guests. On the snowy satin smoothness of the tablecloth there were displayed all the prettiest dishes the neighborhood afforded. Long bands of golden hued ribbon stretched from the tall centerpiece of yellow buttercups and ferns and ended at the corner in handsome bows. Whatever could be of yellow on that fair table was yellow. Rich golden preserves, delicious cakes with yellow icing, yellow butter and soft cream cheese gleamed from crystal and gilt edged china dishes. Gold-lined silver teacups and saucers stood at Uncle David's and Aunt Rachael's places. These had come, opportunely, that very afternoon from a far-away son. Never before had their quiet, Quaker home witnessed such a scene of splendor.

"I fear it is all too fine for plain folks like us!" said David, but Aunt Rachael laid a gentle hand upon his lips and rose to offer thanks. The tender words fell sweetly from her lips, and all the company sat silent with bowed heads as they listened to that reverent voice.

It was a merry feast. The first peal of laughter came when the dear old host and hostess discovered beneath their plates ten shining gold dollars—ten for each. Each guest had more than willingly given a dollar. This they had decided to do instead of purchasing gifts. Tears came into Rachael's blue eyes.

"Friends," she began, "friends"—but she could say no more.

"Yes, yes, Aunt Rachael," some one cried, "That's what we are—just friends!"

It was a delightful supper, with every dainty which the fertile brain and skillful hands of those ten women could invent, and though everyone ate with a wonderful appetite, there still remained enough to fill Aunt Rachael's pantry for days to come.

It was a happy evening. The guests left early, for they knew the old couple were weary with the excitement of the day. With many good-bys and God bless you's the merry company trooped away and left Aunt Rachael and Uncle David alone with each other.

"We'll have something to write to the children," said Rachael, softly. But, David, would ever have suspected a surprise party when Friend Wingate so kindly took us for that drive! It's pleasant to be thought something of though, isn't it? We'll never forget this blessed day, will we, David?"

And David reaching for her soft, wrinkled old hand, only looked into her eyes and smiled.—*Ocean Sound*

POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY

Prof W M Flinders Petrie, the distinguished Egyptologist, contributes the leading article to the April number of *Appleton's Popular Science Monthly*. His subject is "Recent Years of Egyptian Exploration." "The Gold Sands of Cape Nome" is the title of an illustrated article from the pen of Prof Angelo Heilprin the well known geographer and author of an important work on Alaska and the Klondyke. A very interesting picture is given of the unique conditions now prevailing at Nome. The abuses of taxation, which are simply legalized robbery, are graphically shown by Franklin Smith in an article entitled "A State Official on Excessive Taxation," which discusses Comptroller Roberts's recent report. Prof John Trowbridge, of Harvard, has an illustrated article giving an account of "Recent Work with the X Rays," whose remarkable qualities were not, it seems, by any means exhausted during the popular flurry immediately following their discovery. Prof Trowbridge points out a number of new and exceedingly curious phenomena connected with their production, and suggests the probability that their further study may assist in explaining some of Nature's own curiosities which have as yet baffled men's ingenuity. Prof F W Clarke, whose work has played an important if not leading part in the recent advancement of atomic chemistry, is the author of an able article giving a history of the chemical advance of the nineteenth century. An interesting and instructive article by D Cady Eaton gives a brief outline of "The Science of Art Form." A number of diagrams help very much in bringing out the author's points. "Steam Turbines and High Speed Vessels" is the title of an article by the Hon Charles A Parsons, the designer of the steam yacht Turbinia, which last year ran at the rate of nearly forty miles an hour. A description of the engine and a number of illustrations give one a very good idea of its construction and operation. The concluding chapter of Prof Evans's paper on "Modern Survival of Medical Credulity," is published in this number. Prof B D Halsted is the author of an article entitled "Genuine Starch Factories," which tells in a popular way a story of plant growth. A number of good drawings accompany the text. "Trade Corporations in China" is the title of an interesting paper by Maurice Courant, which closes the body articles. Titles in the Editor's Table are "Science and Dogma" and "A More Excellent Way."

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Father—"That young man who is calling on Edith is absolutely worthless."

Mother—"Ah, well! She loves him and I suppose what can't be healed must be endured." Father—"Huh! What can't be heeled can be toed and I think that's what will happen to him if he calls to-night."—*Harlem Life*

Beggar (to gentleman)—Do you happen, sir, to have lost your purse?

Gent (feeling in his pocket)—No!

Beggar—Then can you let me have a little assistance?—*Pearson's Weekly*

Model Post-office.

American Exhibit At The Paris Exposition

George W Beavers, a veteran clerk of the Post office Department and Chief of the Division of Salaries and Accounts, has just returned from a visit to Paris, whither he was sent by the Department in connection with the Post-office exhibit at the French Exposition. Mr Beavers has made an interesting report of his mission to the Postmaster General. The arrangements for exhibiting the postal system of the United States are thus described by Mr Beaver: "The exhibit will be a complete American post-office, and will be available for Americans coming to Paris during the Exposition, of course, including our officials. All that will be necessary for Americans to do in order to get letters from our offices will be to address letters 'United States Postal Station, Exposition, Paris, France.' These mails so addressed will come by any steamer, but in special American pouches, without passing through a French post-office or being handled by French officials in any way, and will be handled entirely by American postal clerks. We shall issue money orders and registered letters as at home. We shall have a poste restante where Americans who have not taken boxes of their own may call and obtain their letters, but those who desire it may rent lock boxes just as in any American post office. The boxes will present new features, keys being abolished and combination locks substituted. This may strike Parisians as an entire novelty, but in this country any one renting a box can go at any time during the day or night and open his box and obtain his letters without the aid of a clerk or official. To an American the abolition of keys will be a welcome novelty, as a key is awkward to carry about, and has to be detached from one's key ring in order to admit of any member of the family or office calling for letters. The principle is the same as in American safes. A combination lock is used, and all that is necessary to know is the requisite combination numbers that open the box. We shall have about 300 of these boxes."

"Return mail to America will be managed entirely by our officials, and go direct from the Exposition Grounds to steamers. All the articles and equipment used in connection with the postal exhibition have been contributed by American postal supply manufacturers. It will be, in fact, an American post-office device exhibit."

Every courtesy and facility was afforded by the French officials to the working force from the United States. As soon as the Government Building is completed business will begin in the American post office.

With regard to Americans intending to visit the Exposition, Mr Beavers makes a suggestion that will be of value. The time set for opening the Exposition is April 15. He says the grounds are in a chaotic condition and that it is impossible to make anything like a showing by the date named. He therefore advises Americans to delay their visit to Paris for a month after the date of the official opening. Mr Beavers believes it will be fully four or six weeks after the official opening before the Exposition will be in perfect working order. As the prices of living in Paris are even now at exorbitant figures, this suggestion is worth bearing in mind. As an illustration of the present enormous cost of living in Paris, Mr Beavers says the postal clerks who are on duty there in connection with the postal exhibit are allowed $50 per month for expenses. In order to get fairly comfortable board and lodgings they are obliged to expend about $100 per month each.

An Anecdote of Ole Virginie

The wit of some of the distinguished ladies during the period of the late Civil War is illustrated by the retort of a typical dame.

Mrs C—— had a large plantation on the James river, where many officers and soldiers of the Union Army were encamped. One day an officer came to the house and most politely asked to see Mrs C——. When she appeared he said

"Madame, we have had a death in the ranks, and I have come to ask your permission to bury a Union soldier on your property. May I do so?"

"Why certainly, Captain," replied Mrs C——. "You have my permission to bury the entire Union Army on my property if you will only do so."—V Halsey

Ethel—Did Joe Cose seriously ask you to marry him

May—He did

Ethel—Whatever did you say?

May—I told him I despised practical jokes —*Philadelphia North American*

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CONGRESSMEN-AT-LARGE,
HARRY E. GRIM, of Bucks County.
N. M. EDWARDS, of Williamsport.

ELECTORS-AT-LARGE,
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OTTO GERMER, of Erie.
FRANCIS SHUNK BROWN, Philadelphia.
ANDREW KAUL, of Elk.

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A SAILOR ASHORE.

It is a pity and a shame that among the friends of Admiral Dewey there was none wise and true enough to dissuade him from taking a step that can only bring to him the pain of disappointment and the stings of ridicule. It is impossible to consider seriously his hallucination that he is a candidate or can be a candidate for President on the platform of personal popularity. He represents no idea, no policy, no party, and he naively offers to stand upon any platform that any party may construct for him. He has no conception of the powers, duties and responsibilities of the President, but seems to regard that officer as a sort of bo'sn's mate, with nothing to do but obey orders and no power of initiative whatever.

Only the strong feeling of admiration and kindly regard for the sturdy sailor and hero of Manila Bay, that all Americans cherish, protects Admiral Dewey from an overwhelming flood of ridicule. It is a thousand pities that he has placed himself in peril of such treatment. The unthinking and irresponsible people who have flattered him into the belief that he has only to signify his willingness to accept the Presidency, are to be blamed for subjecting the honest, kindly, simple old sea-fighter to the painful experiences that await him.

There was a time when Admiral Dewey might have loomed formidably as a popular candidate if he had had the right sort of material in him. That was when he returned from Manila enveloped in a halo of heroism. Had he told the country the whole story of the Philippines and shown how our relations with the islanders could be adjusted in and through fairness and justice; how juices, commercial advantages could be retained after securing the good will of the Filipinos; how the people of the islands could be assisted in establishing order and good government without beating them into abject submission—in short, had he been able to present a plan for extricating the United States from the imbroglio that Spain sold to us for the price of a gold brick, Admiral Dewey would have been a candidate for the Presidency without announcing himself or even intimating his willingness to accept a nomination.—*Phila. North American.*

The *Phila. Record* takes the following position with regard to Admiral Dewey's announcement:

We have no right to assume that a man of Admiral Dewey's character and intelligence, subject to the silence on political questions which his active service in the navy has enforced, is without very positive principles. Neither have we a right to assert what his motives may be in offering himself as a candidate. As long as President McKinley seemed determined to uphold the views of the Admiral and a large part of the people as to the proper treatment of the annexed peoples, Admiral Dewey was silent. He has seen the President recede from his position and consent to a policy that means rank imperialism and the betrayal of the people who had trusted to the assurances of Admiral Dewey that they should be received as Americans. He knows that there are many who do not want to support McKinley under the changed conditions, and who are equally opposed to the policy of giving up the islands advocated by Bryan. It is not unreasonable for him to think that his own strong sentiments on the living issues of the time are shared by a majority of the people, and that as against the two extremes of imperialism and the abandonment of the islands the Dewey platform, with Dewey on it, would be gratefully accepted by an otherwise helpless body of the people. We cannot afford to be unjust or in any measure unfair in dealing with a man of Admiral Dewey's character and achievements, whether he shall be accepted as a candidate or not.

A SUNDAY dispatch from Chicago stated that the leaders of the Democratic party were preparing to boom former Governor Robert E. Pattison, of this State, as a candidate for Vice President at the Kansas City Convention.

A DECISION favoring the Democrats was handed down on Friday by the Court of Appeals at Frankfort, Ky., the opinion being signed by four Democrats and two Republicans, one Republican dissenting.

The opinion holds that the State Canvassing Board has no power to go behind the returns, for if it did it would be usurping the functions of the Legislature. The Court then held it could not review the action of the Legislature, as the journals of the two houses being regular could not be impeached.

ON April 13th will occur the anniversary of the birth of Thomas Jefferson, founder of Democracy and author of the Declaration of Independence. In view of the crushing out of liberty among the brave Boers in South Africa and the attempt made to have our country abandon many of the immortal doctrines of the Declaration of Independence, by our imperialistic President, is not the time opportune for unusual demonstrations of fidelity to those doctrines by the people? *Delaware County Democrat.*

THE friends of United States Senator Boies Penrose have a surprise up their sleeves, it is stated. They intend to try to stampede the Republican National Convention, when it meets in June, and secure the nomination for Vice President for the young politician who now represents the Keystone State in the National Senate.

MAJOR GENERAL ELWELL S. OTIS has been formally relieved of the command of the United States forces in the Philippines and of the Eighth Army Corps. Major General Arthur MacArthur will succeed him as Military Governor. The correspondence showing how this was brought about was made public at the War Department Saturday afternoon.

THE Quay Senators are now claiming that they have an understanding with Senators opposed to Mr. Quay, at least on the Republican side, which will insure a vote on the Quay case in the Senate at an early day.

STATE CONVENTION.

PENNSYLVANIA DEMOCRATS AT KANSAS CITY TO VOTE AS A UNIT FOR BRYAN.

The 64 delegates from Pennsylvania to the National Democratic Convention at Kansas City were instructed by last Thursday's Democratic State Convention, at Harrisburg, to support William J. Bryan for President.

They are bound by the unit rule and cannot change to any other Presidential aspirant unless it is so decided by a majority of the delegation. The platform strongly indorses Bryan's candidacy, denounces the war policy of the McKinley Administration and advocates numerous State reforms.

The following ticket was nominated:

Auditor-General—P. GRAY MEEK, of Centre County.

Congressmen-at-Large — HARRY E. GRIM, of Bucks county, and N. M. EDWARDS, of Williamsport.

Electors-at-Large—GEN. A. H. COFFROTH, of Somerset; OTTO GERMER, of Erie; FRANCIS SHUNK BROWN, of Philadelphia, and ANDREW KAUL, of Elk.

The following delegates-at-large to the National Convention were chosen:

Col. James M. Guffey, of Pittsburg; ex-Gov. Robert E. Pattison, of Philadelphia; John B. Keenan, of Greensburg; Congressman Rufus K. Polk, of Danville; Charles J. Reilly, of Williamsport; ex-State Chairman John M. Garman, of Nanticoke, and ex-Congressman William H. Sowden, of Allentown.

For Presidential Electors, Hugh Moore, Henry Fernberger, Matthew Dittman, W. Horace Hoskins, Adam K. Walch, N. M. Ellis, Albrecht Kneule, David J. Pearsall, L. W. Reiff, Dr. McCormick, Joseph O'Brien, Thomas Maloney, Michael Mellet, James Bell, W. S. Hastings, R. Scott Ammerman, Dr. Dallas S. Barnhart, Harvey W. Haines, Warren Worth Bailey, Wesley S. Guffey, Samuel W. Black, John F. Pauley, J. C. Kelly, John T. Brew, J. S. Carmichael, J. F. Ritchey.

The district delegates of the 19th district are Lemon Love and A. J. Brady.

THE PLATFORM.

The platform invites Hon. W. J. Bryan to become again the candidate of the Democracy for the Presidency and pledges him the support of Pennsylvania Democrats.

A general revision of tariff is asked for, with the enactment of a law requiring the Secretary of the Treasury to place on the free list all products produced by trusts. It is also suggested that trusts make complete detailed public reports of their business. The enforcement of the anti-trust law of 1890 is demanded. The platform continues:

We demand for the people of Puerto Rico the right of freely importing and exporting to and from any part of the United States; and we denounce the sinister influences that have caused the President to depart from that which he termed was a "plain duty."

We deplore the subserviency of the present Administration to the behests of England and English statesmen, whether it be intentional or caused by the ignorance of officials in the State Department. We denounce the Hay-Pauncefote treaty as a complete abandonment of the claims of our statesmen of our rights to construct and control an inter-oceanic canal and as un-American and a base surrender of our inherent right of self-defense.

We denounce as at variance with our rights of citizenship and destructive of the rights of a free man the use of the army of the United States and the suspension of the writ of habeas corpus and declarations of martial law in times of peace in order that labor may be intimidated and labor organizations broken up.

We declare in favor of: An inter-oceanic canal controlled and protected by this country.

No further surrender of Alaskan territory.

Fortification of strategic points on the Pacific.

No entangling alliances with England or other country, secret or open.

Free trade with Puerto Rico.

Independence of Cuba.

Home rule for Philippine Islands.

No subject people.

No colonial dependencies.

Eternal opposition to trusts.

A vigorous foreign policy.

And an income tax.

The election of United States Senators by a vote of the people.

"We reiterate our faith in the beneficent effects of bimetallism, gold and silver, the money of the Constitution, and believe its recognition and adoption would tend to steady and make permanent the prosperity of our country, and free us from the power of the Money Trust to precipitate panic at will and make money dear, labor poor and all other things cheap."

Sympathy to the Boers is extended and it is declared "that the war of conquest and extermination now being carried on by the British Empire in its greed for gold and power is a menace to advancing civilization. We favor united action on the part of all republics of the world to maintain the independent existence of the two republics in South Africa."

Increase in the standing army is opposed as a menace to free government, and the supremacy of the civil over the military authorities is insisted upon.

The party pledges itself to enact ballot reform, personal registration, pure elections, honest counts and true returns. The Republican party is denounced as being responsible for corrupt elections.

Municipal ownership of public franchises is demanded.

The appointment of M. S. Quay as United States Senator by Governor Stone is denounced in strong terms, as well as the refusal of the Governor to convene the Legislature to elect a Senator. The administration of the Governor generally is scored.

The rule recommended by the State Committee reducing the representation in future State Conventions was agreed to. This provides for one delegate for each 1,000 votes, or majority fraction thereof, based on the average number of votes cast in a county for all the candidates on a State ticket at the last election. Under the present system the representation is based on the previous Presidential vote. The new rule will give Philadelphia about 35 instead of 64, and Allegheny county about 18 instead of 30.

TO UNITE DEMOCRACY.

A significant movement in favor of conservatism in the Democratic party was inaugurated last Thursday night at Washington at the meeting of the Democratic Congressional Committee. There Representatives, Fitzgerald, of Boston; Ruppert, of New York, and Daly, of New Jersey, spoke their minds freely regarding the folly of reaffirming the Chicago platform without qualification.

Mr. Fitzgerald declared that it was utterly useless to look for support in the East upon such a platform and expressed his indignation at the circular sent out from the headquarters of the Democratic National Committee calling the Gold Democrats hard names and insisting that the Chicago platform should be reaffirmed in the State and district conventions.

FROM BUCHANAN VALLEY.

APR. 7—Emory Kuhn and Thomas Wilkinsin left here Monday aweek to work near Philadelphia, for A. H. Yeatts, Supt. of the Western Union Telegraph Line.

Mrs. Joanna McAlwer moved to Cobblersville, Franklin county.

Thomas Wilkinsin, Sr., and Charles Shultz came to the store at Trust on Friday evening with banjo and violin. A large crowd enjoyed the good music

S. C. S.

National banks in Maryland will close hereafter at noon on Saturdays, the act recently passed by the legislature and signed by the Governor making it a legal half-holiday.

DEWEY FOR PRESIDENT.

The announcement by Admiral Dewey last Tuesday that he is a Presidential candidate, was the greatest surprise the political and social circles of the country have had for many a day.

In the flow of gush which came after the battle in Manila bay and on the journey of Dewey homeward, and his public receptions and celebrations, after arrival, there was much talk about the Presidency. This died out of itself, as it was bound to, and it has been a very long time since any such idea has been in the public mind. It now seems that while the people have forgotten all about it the Admiral has been thinking it over at nights, and Tuesday night he concluded the time had come to send up his Presidential rocket.

Admiral Dewey expressed himself as much gratified at the way his announcement had been received by his friends. Many telegrams came to him, particularly from the South, and some also from the far West, indorsing his course and promising support in the campaign which he will make.

He states that he is a Democrat.

"I have very decided opinions on matters of public moment," he said, "but I am not prepared to announce them at the present time. I have been reading the newspapers constantly and have formed very strong opinions on a number of matters in which the public is interested, but I do not think it would be wise to announce them at present. Candidates for the Presidency do not make platforms."

TAKING THE CENSUS.

The following are the subjects on which you will be asked to give information:

Location—Street; house number; number of dwelling house in the order of visitation; number of family, in the order of visitation.

Name of each person whose place of abode on June 1, 1900, was in this family; enter surname first, then the given name and middle initial, if any; include every person living on June 1, 1900; omit children born since June 1, 1900.

Relationship—Relationship of each person to the head of the family.

Personal description—Color of race; sex; date of birth; month; year; age at last birthday; whether single, married, widowed or divorced; number of years married; mother of how many children; number of children living.

Nativity—Place of birth of each person and parents of each person enumerated if born in the United States, give the state or territory; if of foreign birth, give the country only; place of birth of this person; place of birth of father of this person; place of birth of mother of the person.

Citizenship—Year of immigration to the United States; number of years in the United States; naturalization.

Occupation, trade or profession of each person ten years of age and over; occupation; months not employed.

Education—Attended school (in months) can read; can write; can speak English.

Ownership of home—Owned or rented; owned free or mortgaged; farm or house; number of farm schedule.

FROM BENDERSVILLE.

The little daughter of Claudius Bush, living with Jas R. Blocher, of this place, died Friday last, aged 5 years.

Mrs. Emma Peunsyl, wife of G. W. Peunsyl, after a lingering illness, died Sunday morning last, and will be buried Wednesday of this week in the cemetery at this place.

H. S. Cashman sold twenty three horses at his sale on last Wednesday. The highest price paid was $116.

Mrs. H. B. Weigle is at this time very ill with pneumonia.

D. F. Delap left on last Saturday for Reading, where he expects to remain for some time.

Nancy Morrison sold last week two acres and one hundred and thirty-six perches of land at five hundred dollars cash to G. W. Weaner.

W. S. Adams, Esq., recently purchased of C. Deardorff twenty two acres of timber land, near town, at $701.50.

W. J. Albers, wife and daughter, spent Sunday last among friends here.

Mrs. Sarah Deardorff last week purchased a seventy-eight acre farm in Cranberry Valley, near Centre Mills, from the heirs of John Spangler, deceased, at $40 per acre. Sts.

THE GREAT SHOW.

Not only have the newspapers of New York city recently and again emphasized the fact, but it is generally known throughout the breadth of the whole land, as well that the Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers' great consolidated shows, which are to exhibit at York on Friday, April, 27, far surpasses any other similar organization in the number of wild beasts, amphibia, elephants, horses, performing animals, riders, aerialists, acrobats, clowns, leapers, charioteers, jockeys, great artists and glorious acts, and in the quantity and quality of entertainment furnished for the ordinary price of admission. Among the most notable new prodigies introduced will be found Hassan Ali, the Egyptian giant, said to be the tallest man on earth, and for the past two years a big feature with the Barnum and Bailey show in London and Great Britain. The number of principal male and female bareback riders has been increased to nineteen; that of the clowns to twenty-five, and in the aerial and acrobatic departments the additions are proportionately large and brilliant. The grand double street parade has been made still more richly and uniquely attractive, and in every direction still greater effort has been made and greater outlay incurred to more than meet the popular demand for cheap, wholesome, stirring and hilarious entertainment.

Gen. John Bidwell, the Prohibition candidate for President in 1892, died at his home, near Chico, California, Wednesday, from heart failure. General Bidwell was a pioneer of 1841 and the founder of Chico. He was 80 years old, a native of Chatauqua county, New York. General Bidwell leaves an estate valued at $1,000,000.

It Has Happened

More than once that a child has been carried off by an eagle. When such a thing does happen the press rings with the story. There's not a line given by the press to the babies carried off daily by disease. It isn't the fact of the child being taken away that is startling or interesting, it's only when the method of taking off is novel that it excites interest. How many children die who might have been saved if the mother who bore them had been able to give them strength and vitality. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes healthy mothers and healthy mothers have healthy children, strong enough to resist disease if they are attacked.

Mrs. Axel Kjer, of Gordonville, Cape Girardeau Co., Mo., writes: "When I look at my little boy I feel it my duty to write to you. This is my fifth child and the only one who came to maturity: the others having died from lack of nourishment—so the doctor said. This time I just thought I would try your 'Prescription.' I took nine bottles and to my surprise it carried me through and gave us as fine a little boy as ever was. Weighed ten and one-half pounds. He is now five months old, has never been sick a day, and is so strong that everybody who sees him wonders at him."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets keep the bowels healthy and regular.

CONGRESS.

Hawaii Territorial Bill Passes the House, 120 to 28.

By a vote of 120 to 28 the House, after four day's debate, on Friday passed the substitute for the Senate bill providing for a territorial form of Government for Hawaii. The bill now goes to conference.

The most interesting feature of the day's proceedings was the attempt of Mr. Hill, (Conn.), to secure the adoption of two amendments, one providing for a resident commissioner instead of a delegate in Congress and the other declaring that nothing in the act should be interpreted as a pledge of Statehood. Both were overwhelmingly defeated.

An amendment offered by Mr. Newland (Nev.) was agreed to, directing the Surveyor-General to report to the Department of Labor annually the number of holders of land of less than 100 acres.

The section giving the Legislature of Hawaii power to impeach the judges of the several courts were stricken out.

Mr. Hill opposed anything that squinted at the possible formation of a future State out of the islands. He said there were few members of Congress who looked forward to the admission of Hawaii as a State. He had voted for annexation under the distinct impression that nothing of the kind would ever be contemplated. Yet here Hawaii was blossoming into a full-fledged Territory.

"Does the gentleman believe in taxation without representation?" asked Mr. Fitzgerald (Mass.)

"There are only 100,000 people in Hawaii," replied Mr. Hill. "There are 340,000 people in Washington; yet the people of Washington are taxed without representation." Proceeding, he said he did not believe the people of the United States were prepared to take the first step toward the Statehood in our insular possessions. It was but a step from a Territory to a State and political exigencies at any time might induce the dominant party to admit the territory. He would not vote to place a delegate from anywhere on the floor of this House who was not elected by a constituency which knew what it was doing.

Congressman Ziegler in the House of Representatives presented a petition of the legislative committee of Pennsylvania State Grange against the passage of the ship-subsidy bill, which was referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries. He also presented a petition of the Legislative committee of Pennsylvania State Grange, to amend the present law in relation to the sale of oleomargarine, which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Free delivery having been ordered to be established at Westminster, Md., on July 1, the Civil Service Bureau will hold an examination at that town on May 12, to secure an eligible register of clerks and carriers, in order that carriers and their substitutes may be appointed in time for them to select their uniforms, and become familiar with their duties before the establishment of free delivery.

Krebs, Wertheim and Schiffer, of New York city, have secured the old Diller wire fence plant in York, which they will use temporarily as a cigar factory until they can construct a permanent brick factory building. This firm employs 3500 hands, and their York factory will be one of the largest in the State.

The Geiser Mfg. Co., of Waynesboro, have a big foreign order about ready for shipment, embracing the following machinery: One portable and one traction engine and two threshers to Mersina, Turkey; one portable engine and one thresher to Varna, Bulgaria; one traction and three portable engines and four threshers to Constantinople, Turkey. This lot of machinery is all consigned to H. G. Nergerarian & Co., Constantinople, Turkey.

How To Gain Flesh

Persons have been known to gain a ***pound a day*** by taking an ounce of SCOTT'S EMULSION. It is strange, but it often happens.

Somehow the ounce produces the pound; it seems to start the digestive machinery going properly, so that the patient is able to digest and absorb his ordinary food, which he could not do before, and that is the way the gain is made.

A certain amount of flesh is necessary for health; if you have not got it you can get it by taking

Scott's Emulsion

You will find it just as useful in summer as in winter, and if you are thriving upon it don't stop because the weather is warm.

50c. and $1.00, all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

Otto Korb, Grand Chancellor, K. P., Boonville, Ind., says, "DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve soothes the most delicate skin and heals the most stubborn ulcer with certain and good results." Cures piles and skin diseases. Don't buy an imitation. L. M. Buehler.

THE Director of the Census has ordered that no assessor, tax collector or justice of the peace shall be appointed as an enumerator.

THE BEST IN THE WORLD.—We believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best in the world. A few weeks ago we suffered with a severe cold and a troublesome cough, and having read their advertisements in our own and other papers we purchased a bottle to see if it would effect us. It cured us before the bottle was more than half used. It is the best medicine out for colds and coughs.—The Herald, Andersonville, Ind. For sale by Codori's Drug Store, Gettysburg.

THE latest internal revenue ruling prohibits anything but a maker's label or wrapper in or on packages of smoking or chewing tobacco.

J. I. Carson, Prothonotary, Washington Pa., says, "I have found Kodol Dyspepsia Cure an excellent remedy in case of a stomach trouble, and have derived great benefit from its use." It digests what you eat and can not fail to cure. L. M. Buehler.

DR. R. W. RAMSEY, Chambersburg, went to Harrisburg Tuesday to qualify as a member of the State board of medical examiners, to which he was recently appointed by Governor Stone.

"No family can afford to be without One Minute Cough Cure. It will stop a cough and cure a cold quicker than any other medicine," writes C. W. Williams, Sterling Run, Pa. It cures croup, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles and prevents consumption. Pleasant and harmless. L. M. Buehler.

THE Littlestown Band has re-organized under the name of Citizen's Band.

W. H. Shipman, Beardsley, Minn., under oath, says he suffered from dyspepsia for twenty-five years. Doctors and dieting gave but little relief. Finally he used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and now eats what he likes and as much as he wants, and he feels like a new man. It digests what you eat. L. M. Buehler.

THERE are sixty applicants for the position of census enumerators in Franklin county.

W. W. Mayhew, Merton, Wis., says, "I consider One Minute Cough Cure a most wonderful medicine, quick and safe." It is the only harmless remedy that gives immediate results. It cures coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, grippe, whooping cough, pneumonia and all throat and lung diseases. Its early use prevents consumption. Children always like it and mothers endorse it. L. M. Buehler.

THE *Ladies' Home Journal* has the largest circulation of any periodical in the world, 900,000.

Let me say I have used Ely's Cream Balm for catarrh and can thoroughly recommend it for what it claims. Very truly, Rev. H. W. Hathaway, Elizabeth, N. J.

I tried Ely's Cream Balm, and to all appearances am cured of Catarrh. The terrible headaches from which I long suffered are gone.—W. J. Hitchcock, late Major U. S. Vol. and A. A. Gen., Buffalo N. Y.

The Balm does not irritate or cause sneezing. Sold by druggists at 50 cts. or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., New York.

PROF. L. H. GEHMAN, of Iowa, is the new Superintendent of the Shrewsbury Academy, York county.

Cleanse the liver, purify the blood, invigorate the body by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers. These famous little pills always act promptly. L. M. Buehler.

THE Norway Iron and Steel Co., of York, has given out the contracts for the erection of their massive buildings, embracing a foundry 246 by 80, annealing house 220 by 65, and a machine shop 140 by 40 feet.

How's This—We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO. Props., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Chenny for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

West & Truax, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo O., Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

THE Maryland Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church began its session at Westminster last Wednesday.

H Clark, Chauncey, Ga., says DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured him of piles that had afflicted him for twenty years. It is also a speedy cure for skin diseases. Beware of dangerous counterfeits. L. M. Buehler.

THE Valley National Bank, of Chambersburg, of which Geo. H. Stewart, of Shippensburg, is president, has been designated by the United States Government as a depository for Government funds. This is the only National depository in this section of the State and is certainly a compliment to the stability and financial standing of this institution. *Shippensburg News.*

REMARKABLE CURE OF RHEUMATISM. KENNA, Jackson Co., W. Va.

About three years ago my wife had an attack of rheumatism which confined her to her bed for over a month and rendered her unable to walk a step without assistance, her limbs being swollen to double their normal size. Mr. S. Maddox insisted on my using Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I purchased a fifty-cent bottle and used it according to the directions and the next morning she walked to breakfast without assistance in any manner, and she has not had a similar attack since.—A. B. PARSONS. For sale by Codori's Drug Store, Gettysburg.

A CENSUS of Manila shows a death rate of forty in the thousand of inhabitants the death rate being increased by the ravages of beriberi, smallpox and bubonic plague.

"I think DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills in the world," says W. E. Lake, Happy Creek, Va. They remove all obstructions of the liver and bowels, act quickly and never gripe. L. M. Buehler.

Shippensburg will tax telegraph, telephone and electric light poles 50 cents per year.

In almost every neighborhood there is some one whose life has been saved by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, or who has been cured of chronic diarrhoea by the use of that medicine. Such persons make a point of telling of it whenever an opportunity offers, hoping that it may be the means of saving other lives. For sale by Codori's Drug Store, Gettysburg.

THE record for the movement of freight cars was broken on the middle division of the Pennsylvania Railroad in March. 175,112 cars were moved, the highest previous record being 171,122, made in March of 1899.

Jurors for April.

LIST OF GRAND JURORS drawn March 6, 1900, for Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held at Gettysburg, in and for the county of Adams, the FOURTH MONDAY of APRIL, 1900.

Buddy, John, farmer, Germany twp.
Becker, Wm. P., butcher, Bendersville bor.
Busby, John, cig'rm'k'r, McSherryst'n, 1st wd.
Colehouse, Edward F., shoemaker, Littlest'n.
Crouse, Augustus, farmer, Germany twp.
Deatrick, Amos, farmer, Straban twp.
Frey, D. S. farmer, Hamiltonban twp.
Felix, Joseph, merchant, Freedom twp.
Garrick, John A., farmer, Mountjoy twp.
Heckenluber, Geo. T., farmer, Menallen twp.
Mesherry, H. H., jeweler, East Berlin bor.
McCullough, Jas. H., farmer, Cumberland tp.
Mengus, Samuel E., farmer, Germany twp.
Nau, Charles, stonecutter, Germany twp.
Rebert, Michael, dairyman, East Berlin bor.
Raffensperger, W. A., agt., Arendtsville bor.
Schriver, Frank, farmer, Straban twp.
Smith, Gregory P., farmer, Oxford twp.
Sheely, Wm., laborer, Bendersville bor.
Taylor, Hanson W., farmer, Butler twp.
Walter, Conrad C., farmer, Liberty twp.
Walter, C. P. K., carpenter, Butler twp.
Weigle, Samuel, farmer, Straban twp.
Weikert, Charles, farmer, Highland twp.

LIST OF PETIT JURORS drawn March 6, 1900, for Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace and Court of Common Pleas, to be held at Gettysburg, in and for the county of Adams, the FOURTH MONDAY of APRIL, 1900, and to serve two weeks if necessary.

Bell, William, farmer, Straban twp.
Bigham, Grant, teacher, Hamiltonban twp.
Bream, Amos, farmer, Huntington twp.
Biehl, Joshua, painter, Germany twp.
Bowers, Amos, farmer, Huntington twp.
Baker, J. W., farmer, East Berlin bor.
Becker, Andrew J., blacksmith, Franklin twp.
Cole, Francis, lumberman, Menallen twp.
Coulson, A. W., merchant, Latimore twp.
Deardorff, Harry, farmer, Arendtsville bor.
Diehl, Isaac, gent, Gettysburg bor., 1st ward.
Davis, James Mc., laborer, Huntington twp.
Eppleman, C., farmer, Butler twp.
Gilbert, J. McC., merchant, New Oxford bor.
Gardner, Henry, farmer, Tyrone twp.
Group, John C., farmer, Huntington twp.
Hartzel, Jeremiah, farmer, Cumberland twp.
Hartman, Jacob, farmer, Mountjoy twp.
Howard, Jacob, merchant, Bendersville bor.
Kochler, Samuel, farmer, Oxford twp.
King, Jerome B., teacher, Germany twp.
Lerew, Curtis A., merchant, Latimore twp.
Lady, Charles E., mason, Cumberland twp.
Lott, Wm. H., policeman, Cumberland twp.
Lauver, James, farmer, Franklin twp.
Minter, Amos, farmer, Franklin twp.
Miller, Ephraim, laborer, Conowago twp.
Penn, Franklin, guide, Gettysburg, 3rd ward.
Picking, H. C., agt., Gettysburg bor., 2nd wd.
Peters, Henry, constable, Hamiltonban twp.
Rife, Charles, surveyor, Franklin twp.
Reaver, Daniel, farmer, Mountjoy twp.
Riffle, Geo. W., Goner, Littlestown bor.
Ross, Edward, farmer, Tyrone twp.
Rhine, Wm. F., harnessmaker, Gettysburg bor., 3rd ward.
Sheely, James, laborer, Oxford twp.
Singley, Harry, engineer, Highland twp.
Smith, F. X., cig'rm'k'r, McSherryst'n, 1st wd.
Selp, R. K., farmer, Reading twp.
Sheaffer, Edwin, farmer, Conowago twp.
Steine, Joseph, farmer, Union twp.
Starner, Levi, wagonmaker, Hamiltonban tp.
Stanley, Edward F., farmer, Mountjoy twp.
Troxel, David, gent, Gettysburg bor., 1st wd.
Thoman, Rudolph, farmer, Straban twp.
Tool, William, gent, Butler twp.
Weikert, Geo. W., farmer, Freedom twp.
Wills, John, painter, Gettysburg bor., 3rd wd.
Mar. 13, te

REUBEN H. CULP,
Dealer in
WALL PAPER.
Has a full line of
Paper For Sale.
ALSO
PAPERHANGING
done on short notice in
A WORKMANLIKE MANNER.
Give him a trial.
York Street,
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Mar. 29, 1898.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

WILLIAM H. BUMMER'S ESTATE.—Letters of administration on estate of William H. Bummer, late of Highland tp., Adams county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present the same properly authenticated for settlement.

R. WM. BREAM,
Highland twp.,
Administrator.
Feb. 27, 1900. 6t

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANCIS I. SMITH AND WIFE, of Gettysburg borough, Adams county, Pa., by a deed of voluntary assignment have conveyed their estate to the undersigned, residing in Gettysburg, for the benefit of creditors; and as the Assignee proposes conveying the property and settling the accounts as speedily as may be compatible with the interests of the creditors, he desires the creditors to hand in their claims at once, and those indebted to make payment immediately.

CHAS. S. DUNCAN,
Mar. 20, 6t Assignee.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANCIS BRENNER AND WIFE, of Oxford township, Adams county, Pa., by a deed of voluntary assignment have conveyed their estate to the undersigned, residing in McSherrystown, for the benefit of creditors; and as the Assignee proposes conveying the property and settling the account as speedily as may be compatible with the interests of the creditors, he desires the creditors to hand in their claims at once, and those indebted to make payment immediately.

V. H. LILLY,
Mar. 13 6t Assignee.

NOTICE.

THE first and final account of SAMUEL HOFFMAN, Assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Isaac Byers and wife, of Butler township, has been filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, Pa., and will be confirmed by said court on SATURDAY, the 28th day of APRIL, A. D., 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m., unless cause be shown to the contrary.

AMOS C. COLLINS,
Mar. 29, 1d Prothonotary.

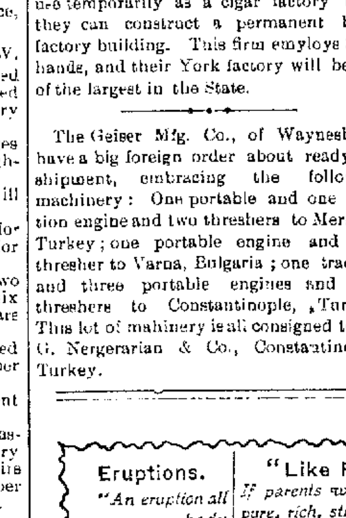
The One Day Cold Cure.
Cold in head and sore throat cured by Kermott's Chocolate Laxative Quinine. As easy to take as candy. "Children cry for them."
For sale by H. S. BENNER.

Eruptions. "An eruption all over my body caused a burning sensation so I could not sleep nights. By taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I was completely cured." *Jennie Thompson, P. O. Box 36, Oakesville, N. Y.*

"Like Father, Like Child." "Man is the sum of his ancestors." *If parents wish healthy children, let them see to it that they themselves have pure, rich, strong blood. No taint of scrofula, no insidious malady, no lurking microbes or germs to be a curse to posterity. Purify the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the guardian of infants yet unborn. Buy a bottle Today.*

Hood's Sarsaparilla
Never Disappoints

Dyspepsia. "I had dyspepsia in its worst form and tried many medicines, but found no relief until I took Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills. To my great joy I found relief and a cure. I am now well and strong." *Mary E. Byrd, Olney, Illinois.*



THE SABBATH OBSERVER

Correctly dressed men indicate by their apparel the day of the week. For church or afternoon wear, the frock coat and lighter trousers are recognized standards everywhere.

We are showing a special line of Black and Oxford Vicuna's, Thibets and Undressed Worsteds, with a medium shade of striped English trouserings.

Order you Suit in time and have it made right. We await your order.

J. D. LIPPY, TAILOR.
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For cold in the head and sore throat use Kermott's Chocolate Laxative Quinine, the "One Day Cold Cure."
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THE MARKETS.

GETTYSBURG.

Corrected by J. Geo. Wolf's Sons.

Flour	$ @	4 00
Wheat		67
New Wheat		67
Rakings		50
Corn		42
Rye		48
Oats		28
Flax-seed	95 @	1 00
Timothy-seed		1 30
Buckwheat		65
Rye Straw		5 00
Hay	700 @	8 00

RETAIL PRICES.

Wheat Bran	95	per 100
C and O Chop	1 00	" 100
Rye Chop	110	" 100
Flour	4 00	" bbl
Western Flour	4 50	" "
Oats	35	" bu
Corn	50	" "
Wheat	65	" "

BALTIMORE.

Flour	$ 5 00 @	5 04
Wheat		70
Rye		65
Corn	28 @	39
Oats	20 @	00
Hogs ⅌ hundred, dead	8 00	21
Cattle beef per hundred, live	3 50	00

Hard-ware! HARDWARE! Hard-ware!

IN ENDLESS VARIETY.

Baltimore St., | Just above the Court-house. | Gettysburg, Pa.

(FORMERLY WM. H. MAYER'S.)

We extend to you a standing invitation to call and inspect the store and stock. We do not ask you to buy a cent's worth. Come and look around. We will take pleasure in showing you around. You may favor us sometime in the future with your trade. We herewith mention a few items:

For the Mechanic.
A fine assortment of Tools of every description, and of the best. This stock was low at purchase, but it has since been filled up in every particular and the mechanic can now come and get just what he wants and at the right price. Remember, a guarantee goes with every tool we sell you.

Paints, Oils and Brushes.
For the Painter we are amply prepared. This, you know, has been in my line for years. I take a personal pride in having the very best at the very lowest cost. In Leads, Colors, Varnishes and Brushes, we carry the best. The painter can work best with the best goods; the work is lasting and cheaper in the end.

Artist's Paints.
For the artistic ladies and gentlemen, would call attention to the fine and beautiful line of Gold, Bronze and Aluminum Paints and Powders—full line, and of the very best. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.

Carriage Goods.
This department of our store is full up in every line. The trimming shop, the wood-working shop, the paint shop and the smith shop can get their supplies here. We have received two car loads of steel and iron tire; one car load of wheels, rims and spokes. Other goods in abundance—enough to supply all the carriage shops in Adams co. at one order.

The Blacksmith.
For the Blacksmith's pleasure we have also invested heavily. We started in with two car loads of horse shoes; we bought them, too, when they were right in price; big lot of Toe Calks, Iron and Rasps, besides a full line of bolts, nuts, and everything required in the blacksmith shop. Come and see us, gentlemen, and be convinced of our large and varied stock.

Housekeepers.
A car load of Tin and Agate ware. This means everything we thought of. Possibly we have'nt everything—if not, we will get it. Tell us what you need. Table Knives and Forks, Table and Tea Spoons, Butcher, Bread and Paring Knives, Scissors and Shears, Carving Sets, Clothes Wringers, Carpet Sweepers and Carpet Beaters; and don't forget our stock of

WALL PAPER.
The BIGGEST Assortment,
The BEST Designs,
The LOWEST Prices.
Beginning at 3 cents per piece, and then at any price you desire. Can't help but sell you if you call and see our stock.
One whole car load of the finest wall paper has just been purchased and is ready for your inspection. Having made an unusually lucky deal we purchased this immense stock of wall paper and the lot will be sold at very low prices. The paper is all of the latest patterns, and we can assure you that here you have an immense bargain.

Baskets, Baskets.
Chip Baskets at 2 cents, better ones, Willow Baskets, nice and clean, just in.

Hammocks, Hammocks.
500 hammocks, in which to repose your weary body or take your afternoon siesta. I want one.

For the Farmer.
We have your wants: Fence wire and staples, poultry wire, screen wire, grain bags, binder twine, knives for reapers and mowers, (all sizes for any machine,) forks, rakes, shovels, barn door track and hangers, steel crowbars and wedges, mattock and picks, scythe and snaths, grain cradles, pruning saws, hook and knives, bag trucks, platform scales.

The Sporting Man.
Your wants and pleasures have been carefully studied, and large stocks have been carefully studied and carefully gone over and a fine selection has been made for you. Lots of guns, ammunition of every variety, fishing tackel in all its details, and a finer collection was never before held up for your inspection. Base ball bats, masks, gloves, etc.; bicycles and sundries belonging thereto. Don't fail to visit this department.

For Rocks and Stumps.
We have the material to bust them wide open. Dupont's Dynamite, 80 per cent. strength; caps and fuse; also blasting powder.

L. M. ALLEMAN,
GETTYSBURG. PA.

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GETTYSBURG. PA.

This week

marks the 15th anniversary of our beginning in Gettysburg. Our success and growth are known. We do not intend to give ourselves a framed testimonial, to flatter our selfishness because of it. We do, however, feel grateful to the public who have shown their appreciation and their faith in this store to the extent that every year has been a growing year for us.

Last year was much the largest in volume of business we have ever enjoyed, due no doubt in part, to the general prosperity, but also, we flatter ourselves, because we had a better store than ever before.

The temptation to us to buy goods in the last six months, to save advances in prices (for our customers) has been such that our present stock is nearly 50 per cent. larger than ever before. We believe, therefore, that in consequence of established methods,

TRUTH AND HONESTY—

which have won, **with the great stock now on sale,** we will increase our business in the same ratio. Experiences of past mistakes to avoid, and up-to-date ideas to put into practice, will constantly better this store.

WE WANT TO BRING A FEW THINGS INTO PROMINENCE HERE.

These Fine Plain Dress Goods are for those who like to be well-gowned and richly, without having attention drawn because of a novelty fabric or pattern.

Fine Rich Granite Weaves that are pebbly like our native granite rocks, and wear as well almost; in the new handsome shades for spring New steel, new tan, &c., the width 46 in., the price **$1.00**

Light Mixtures in a Serge Weave, called *Equestra*, durable as the granites named above, light grey, tinged with blue, light ground tinged with green, are some of the colors, same width as the above, two qualities, at **75c.** and **$1.00.**

Brown, Grey and Blue color mixtures in **Serge Weave,** called *Serge Covert* by some, rich in appearance and serviceable in quality, 36 inches, at **75c.**

Plain Granite in 36 and 38 in. widths, not so closely or so finely woven as those mentioned above, but softer, more graceful in certain modes of skirts, price **59c.** and **65c.** These are in subdued browns, modes, greys and blues.

Satin-faced Venetian or Prunella, 46 in. wide, in light navy only, very rich, **75c.**

Sturdy Home Spuns, for the jacket suit or separate skirt, here in both Camels Hair effect and heavy Twills at **50c., 75c. and $1.00.** Light and medium greys, brown mixtures and tan mixtures.

Camels Hair Stripe on Cloth Ground, stripes ½ in. wide and about 2 in. apart, in mixed colors, specially good design for separate skirts, **50c.**

Wool Skirt Plaids, color combination as rich as you could imagine, all wool, 38, 48 and 50 in. (patterns only) **50c** and **$1.00.**

Navy Cheviot, sponged and refinished, as strong and serviceable as anything you could desire, does to wear in all kinds of weather and don't get surt.
40 in. width, **50c.**
50 in. width, **75c. and $1.00.**

42 in. wide Cheviot Serges in light navy, brown, garnet, myrtle, soft and graceful material, for Eton and other tailor-made gowns, price **50c.**

50 in. Pure Worsted Storm Cheviot, mixed color, blue and gray, blue, gray and black, price **75c**

The cheaper or lower priced Dress Goods are on our counters in great variety. The appearance when made up, the equal of those that cost much more.

FRENCH and SCOTCH FLANNELS.

The French Twilled Flannels, the popular thing for waists to wear now, early spring, price **50c**—in plain colors, Old Rose, New Navy, Cardinal.

French Flannel with Embroidered Dots.—Cardinal embroidered in black, Navy in white, Grey Blue in black—price **95c.** Printed Blue in small white polkadots **75c.**

Scotch Flannels—mostly in gingham designs—beautiful for shirt Waists for early spring, and in fact suitable for the cool evenings the entire summer—29 in. **37 1-2c.** Another not quite so heavy, because of less wool, the appearance similar to a fine Madras, is 36 in. wide, price **30c.**

Both these flannels are very desirable for children's dresses for all ages.

The New Silks that we spoke of here some weeks ago, have had a sort of double-quick move on them since, and a few styles are entirely sold out; but the choosing is still double and treble that of most stores There is hardly a color that you cannot get here in something.

The Wash Silks—the kind that never wear out; if soiled wash them and they are like new—can be had here in a better grade or quality for our price than you'll likely find near here, because we planned for them (as we told you previously) long before the actual goods had left Japan. They are in stripes of blues, pinks, reds, helios, &c.—about ten or more patterns, all of them corded, price **50c.**

Another Linea Little Heavier, in Stripes and Plaids, corded—in all the above colors, with several additional—price **75c.**

The Printed Indias and Foulards—are 50c. and 63c. with us (in dress lengths) and while we have a good assortment now, we will have no more when these are gone, as we have determined not to pay the advances.

Kai-Kai Silks—strong as a gingham, cooler and prettier, ten or more styles left at 25c. The wholesale value of these goods to-day is our selling price.

New Black Silks—in Satin Pole de Soies, Taffetas, Armures, Brocades, &c.

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Register's Notices.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Legatees and other persons concerned that the Administration Accounts hereinafter mentioned will be presented at the Orphans' Court of Adams county, for confirmation and allowance on SATURDAY, the 21st day of APRIL, 1900, at 10 o'clock, a. m., viz:

8. The first and final account of Alex. C. Hoffheins, Administrator of the estate of Samuel A. Warner, dec'd., late of Straban township, Adams county, Penna.

9. The first and final account of Rebecca A. Tudor and John Tudor, Executors of the last will and testament of Isaac F. Tudor, late of Latimore township, Adams county, Pa., dec'd.

10. First and final account of Peter C. Smith, Executor of the last will and testament of William Wagner, late of Reading township, Adams county, Penna., dec'd.

11. First and final account of J. E. Pague, Administrator d. b. n. c. t. a. of Hannah C. Culver, late of the county of Adams, Pennsylvania, dec'd.

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13. The first and final account of David E. Wagner, Executor of the last will and testament of Catharine Wagner, late of Reading township, Adams county, Pennsylvania, deceased.

14. The first and final account of James A. Miller, Executor of the last will and testament of Wm. H. Wierman, late of Cumberland township, Adams county, Penna., dec'd.

H. G. WEHLER,
Mar. 27, 1900. td Register.

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PROCLAMATION.

To the Coroner, Justices of the Peace and Constables in the Different Boroughs and Townships in the County of Adams—Greeting:

KNOW YE, that in pursuance of a precept to me directed under the hand and seal of the Honorable S. McC. Swope, President of the several Courts of Common Pleas, in the 51st Judicial District, consisting of the counties of Adams and Fulton, and by virtue of his office of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of Capital and other offenders therein, and in the General Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, and C. G. BEALES and S. S. MEHRING, Esqs., Judges of the same county of Adams. You and each of you are hereby required to be and appear in your own proper persons with your Records, Recognizances, Examinations and other remembrances, before the Judges aforesaid, at Gettysburg, at a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace therein to be holden in the county of Adams aforesaid, on the 4th MONDAY of APR., (being the 23nd day,) at 10 o'clock, a. m., of said day, then and there to do those things to which your several offices appertain.

[SEAL] GIVEN under my hand at Gettysburg, on the 1st day of Mar. in the year of our Lord one thousand and nine hundred.

F. W. MORRISON,
Mar. 13, 1900, te Sheriff.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

JOHN CULP'S OF M. ESTATE.—Letters testamentary on the estate of JOHN CULP OF M, late of Gettysburg bor., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, residing in same borough, Adams county, Pa., he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

RUFUS E. CULP,
Mar. 27, 6t Executor.

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—Dr. E. J. Wolf … New York, Brooklyn an… during this week.

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—Rev. D. W. W… Lewistown. He will go t… way to attend the spring… Carlisle Presbytery.

—The following were… out of town on Sunday … Shepardstown, W. Va.… Frederick, Md.; P. T. … Marysville, Pa.; L. C. M… mestown, Pa.; Clifford … Harrisburg; Wm. E. Wr… boro, Md.; P. L. … and Geo. W. Engar at Ne…

—Dr. J. L. Stoner, who… command of the marine h… Buffalo, N. Y., for a att… has received orders to pr… N. B., as medical inspector…

—Miss Winnie Sakes, … is here assisting Miss … millinery business.

—Mrs. Lizabeth … her daughter, Mrs. A… terstown, Md.

—Wm. Noel, who has … Cuba in the 2nd U. S. Infan… has lately been in New M… been transferred there on a… health, has been honorably… from the service. He arr… burg yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry M… caster, visited Mr. and Mrs… during the past week.

—Miss Harriet Weig… burg, a daughter of Rev. … D., is visiting at Hon. R. W… Highland township.

—Silas McAlen Horner … to attend the spring meetin… Presbytery to be held in Cov… Harrisburg.

—Miss Helen Hendrix, of… Missouri, who is attending W… lege, Baltimore, is spending t… Mrs. Keith and family. Her… than Hendrix, a student a… New Jersey, is expected to sp… part of the week here.

—Mrs. S. A. Hammond and… leave on Thursday for a few… in Baltimore.

Graeff Prize Award Anno…

The Graeff prize for the be… member of the senior class of … College has been awarded t… Clare, of Abbottstown, wit… mention of Luther D. Weigle… lesburg, and Paul H. Bikle, of… The subject of the essay was "… Nature as Shown in Milton… Rev. Milton H. Stine, Rev. … Geiser and A. C. Stamm, all of… were the judges.

New Students.

The following are the name… of residence of the students w… tered the Preparatory Dep… Pennsylvania College for the s… I. E. Walter, … man and Sara … Hartman… ville; George … Hollinger… S. Wolf, Abbottstown; J. … Bedminster; H. R. Rice, … C. A. Fromeyer and Myrtle … Bonneauville; J. H. Leber, … E. K. McCleaf, Fairfield; … Fairplay; Bessie M. Everha… Rummel and Carrie E. Miller, … Dorothy E. Beamer, Granite … Cullough, Greenmount, Clara … eidlersburg; R. N. Heltzel… d; C. B. McIlhenny, Plainv… tia Diller, and Alice C. Stamb… Springs.

THE Gettysburg Circle of … Grand Army of the Republic … reception for the members … Skelly Post and their wives … evening, Apr. 17th, at 8 p. m.… ows of comrades of Corporal S… are also cordially invited to be…

FOR RENT—The Hugh D. Sc… on South Baltimore street.

NOTICE—Lewis E. Kirssin h… to the corner of Centre Square… St., with a fine line of clothing… furnishing goods, which he … special prices this week.

THE Junior Epworth League… a social in the M. E. Pars… Baltimore street, Saturday e… novel entertainment by the bo… will begin at seven o'clock, … ice cream, cake and candy will… All friends are invited.

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Gettysburg Pa Tuesday April 10 1900

PERSONALS

— John Reed Scott Esq and wife of Pittsburg, are Gettysburg visitors

— Gen C H T Collis of New York, spent a few days at Hotel Gettysburg last week

— Miss Annie Bushman spent some time in Philadelphia during the past week

— Miss Lena Keeth spent part of last week visiting relatives in New Oxford

— Miss Margaret Armor has returned from a few weeks visit to Philadelphia

— Dr Karl L Tipton Legal note of the Medico Chirurgical College Philadelphia, last year and who has since served on the hospital staff of that institution has returned to Gettysburg to start in the practice of his profession He will open an office on Chambersburg street

— Miss Caroline Sparrow of Harrisburg one of Adams county's school teachers, was the guest of Miss Margaret McAllister High street last Saturday

— William Weitz, of the U S S Prairie, but recently returned from Cuba and now stationed at New York spent a short time at his home here yesterday coming here from New York

— E O Farrell of West Chester is in Gettysburg on business connected with the Battlefield

— At a meeting of the trustees of the University of Pennsylvania in the university office Philadelphia last week, Morris William Croll of this place was awarded the Harrison Fellowship at large in English

— Miss Gertrude Sicher spent last week at Key Mar College Hagerstown Md, visiting her sister, Miss Mary who is attending school there

— Charles Crosby and daughter who have been spending some time with the former's mother, left for their home in Denver, Colo on Thursday

— Mrs Emily Parnell of Cincinnati who has been spending some time with Miss Annie Bushman, has returned home

— Rev P L Sourbeiger of the Seminary has received a call to Marysville, Pa

— Rev George W Leigh of the Seminary has been ordained to the Duncannon charge

— Miss Alice Keener, of Rock Island, Ill, who has been spending the past few weeks with Miss Ethel Wolf, left on Thursday for a visit among northern friends

— Robbin P Wolf of Pine Forge Academy Stanford University and Miss Todd, are spending the Easter holidays at the former's home here

— Dr J J Wolf is practicing in New York Brooklyn and Jersey City during this week

— Among those registered at Hotel Gettysburg last week were W G Whitner of near Los Angeles California and his brother, G H Whitner of Cumberland county, both of whom are well known by many Gettysburgers H Clay White and Carl Worsell of Port Madison, Maine

— Rev D W Woods left on Monday for Lewistown He will go to Harrisburg Tuesday to attend the Spring meeting of the Carlisle Presbytery

— The following seminarians preached out of town on Sunday J W Dotterer at Shepardstown, W Y Yost at Fredrick Md J J Stockslager at Marysville Pa J C Menges at Hummelstown Pa Edward G White at Harrisburg, Wm F Wheeler at Woodsboro, Md F P Stewart at Uniontown and Geo W Leigh at Newport Pa

— Dr J L Stoner who has been in command of the marine hospital service at Buffalo, N Y for a little over two years has received orders to proceed to St John N B as medical inspector of immigrants

— Miss Winnie Smack of Baltimore is here assisting Miss S P Horner in her millinery business

— Mrs Lucretia Danner is visiting her daughter Mrs Albert Cool at Hagerstown Md

— Wm Noll who has been serving in Cuba in the 2nd U S Infantry but who has lately been in New Mexico having been transferred there on account of his health has been honorably discharged from the service He arrived in Gettysburg yesterday

— Mr and Mrs Harry Meyer of Lancaster visited Mr and Mrs E S Taber during the past week

— Miss Harriet Weigle of Mechanicsburg, a daughter of Rev J D Weigle D D is visiting at Hon I W Williams Highland township

— Silas McAllen Hamer leaves today to attend the spring meeting of Carlisle Presbytery to be held in Grace church Harrisburg

— Miss Helen Hendrix of Kansas City, Missouri who is attending Woman's College but more is spending the week with Mrs Keith and family Her brother Nathan Hendrix a student at Princeton New Jersey, is expected to spend the latter part of the week here

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Graeff Prize Award Announced

The Graeff prize for the best essay by a member of the senior class of Pennsylvania College has been awarded to Robert D Clare of Abbottstown with honorable mention of Luther D Wright of Michinsburg, and Paul H Baker of Gettysburg The subject of the essay was "The Love of Nature as Shown in Milton's Poetry" Rev Milton H Stine, Rev Dick on H Geiser and A C Strauss of Harrisburg were the judges

New Students

The following are the names and places of residence of the students who have entered the Preparatory Department of Pennsylvania College for the spring term J L Walter Iga Annie S Hammaun and Sara C Hartman, Arendtsville, George H Hollinger and J S Wolf Abbottstown J W Dehl, Bedminster H R Rice Freeman C A Tromeye and Myrth M Swope Bonneauville J H Weber Dillsburg, F K McFeat Fairfield J M Rhodes Fairplay Bessie M Everhart Sara C Hummel and Carrie L Miller, Gettysburg, Dorothy E Bauer, Germantown S M McCullough Greenmount, Claude Mickle Littlestown K N Hetrel, New Oxford, C B McIlhenny Plumville Hepburn Diller, and Alice C Stumbaugh York Springs

— The Gettysburg Circle of Talbott the Grand Army of the Republic will hold a reception for the members of Corporal Skelly post and their wives on Tuesday evening, Apr 17th at 8 p m The widows of comrades of Corporal Skelly Post are also cordially invited to be present

STE KEARY

— FOR RENT The High D Scott property on South Baltimore street apr 10 tf

— NOTICE—Lewis I Kirson has removed to the corner of Centre Square and York St., with a fine line of clothing shoes and furnishing goods, which he will sell at special prices this week a 10tf

— The Epworth League will hold a social in the M E Parsonage, on Baltimore street, Saturday evening A novel entertainment by the boys and girls will begin at seven o'clock, after which ice cream, cake and candy will be for sale All friends are invited. 1t*

MISCELLANEOUS

Carving operations began in Adams county last week, and the farmers are now busy preparing their land for the season's crops The wheat outlook is not good in many places, especially in low, undrained land

A rule suspending operations for the winter the masons have again started work on the Episcopal church in the course of erection, corner of Baltimore and High streets

The lecture on "A Brief Historical Sketch of the Settlement and Development of Adams County" which was to have been given by Prof Aaron Sheely before the Americus Club on Friday evening was postponed to Friday evening, April 20th the cause for such action being Mr Sheely's sickness during the week previous The tickets given out for the lecture will admit the bearers on April 20th

Dr H L Diehl is improving his property on Baltimore street

The Good Citizenship League which met in the Court house on Friday evening adjourned to meet in the same place on Friday evening, April 20th Due notice will be given of the meeting in the local papers and circulars are expected to be distributed over town in order that the meeting may be well advertised By this means the leaders of the movement hope to get a good crowd together

A Harrisburg dispatch, of the 6th to the Philadelphia Press says The next division encampment of the National Guards of Pennsylvania will be held at Mount Gretna Adjutant General Stewart is favorable to that site, and Governor Stone is expected to approve it for the purpose indicated

The property of the late Hugh D Scott, offered for sale on Saturday was withdrawn the bid offered not being considered insufficient

Schorr Bros has leased the Gettysburg Roller Mills on Franklin street and will continue the business at this place

The College Young Men's Christian Association Lecture Course Committee has announced that Hamilton W Mabie of New York will deliver the last number of the course The date has not as yet been definitely decided upon, but will probably be during the last week of April

This shed over one of the kilns at the Phifer Lime Yard was destroyed by fire Sunday morning It is supposed to have caught from the heat of the kiln The loss is about $50 no insurance

Some of the recent pensions are more valuable than those of Linville and Bangs at Adams, so to say

At a meeting in Lancaster on Thursday the survivors of the 22 Regt Penna Vol Cavalry Wm Duncan form Corporal in command association and decided to attend the 3d Corps reunion to be held here in May

The Methodist Episcopal church Rev Vaughn F Pace pastor Services next Sunday as follows Class meeting 9 a m, Sunday school Missionary Meeting at 2 30 p m, which consists of an excellent program rendered by the Sunday School Epworth League at 6 p m and preaching at 7 p m

G A R NOTES

The Annual Encampment of the Pennsylvania State G A R will be held in Gettysburg in June commencing on the 5th

The prospects seem to indicate one of the largest gatherings ever held in Gettysburg

Among the prominent men who are expected to be in attendance are President McKinley to be entertained by Dr H W McKnight, Governor Stone, who will stop with Hon S McSwope General Shaw Commander in Chief of the United States G A R, Major Pratt of the Carlisle Indian School

The corps of cadets of the Orphans School of Scotland, Franklin county, will be here in a body, accompanied by their cadet band and will give an exhibition drill on the streets of Gettysburg

The committee in charge will make a canvass of the town for subscriptions to defray the necessary expenses and also request that the houses be appropriately decorated

It has now been six years since the last State Encampment was held here and the Committee and other members of Corporal Skelly Post, No 9, G A R hope that in view of the hospitable treatment the people of Gettysburg will be sure to accord them they shall make this their permanent place for the Annual Encampments

RURAL MAIL DELIVERY

Postmaster Young informs us that the new rural free mail delivery routes to be established in Adams county will be put into operation May 1st and that the following will be the routes and carriers,

Route No 1 Gettysburg to Mud College, to Fed and to Sheely's, to Gettysburg Carrier Chas F Pfeifer

No 2 Gettysburg to Harney to Myer's Mill, to Gettysburg, carrier, Samuel D Weikert

No 3 Gettysburg to Hunplay to Marsh Creek Mill, via Bigham's and Scott's, to Gettysburg carrier Chas M McCullough

No 4 Fairfield road to R S Brown's to Knoxlyn to Fairfield road to Gettysburg, carrier, J Louis Sowers

No 5, Gettysburg to Mummasburg to David Minter's to Hilltown, to H C Riddlemoser's to Fox Hill School House, to March's, to Mummasburg, to Gettysburg carrier J Allen Holtzworth

No 6 Gettysburg to Table Rock to Bender's church, to Dear Duffs Mill, to Stone Dog to Gettysburg, to Gulland's, carrier, C C Sefton

No 7 Gettysburg to Heidlersburg, to Hunterstown to Gettysburg carrier Hugh A M Thomy

No 8 York pike to Daniel S Coleman's to Cedar Ridge to Bonneauville road, to Gettysburg road, to Gettysburg carrier J Wilson Dickson

No 9 Gettysburg to Red Land, to Square Corners to Gettysburg carrier John H Eckert

ONE MORE CHANCE FOR THE FARMERS — The Gettysburg Canning Factory will be run again this canning season, providing the farmers will plant enough corn to warrant running All those who will plant corn will please call on or write to Mervin Robert, at Hanover Produce Co, Gettysburg before April 15, stating how many acres they will plant We will furnish seed at $2 per bushel, and will pay $5 per ton for good corn at factory

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MRS A S BAER is back from the city, with a very large assortment of Millinery, from the fine imported to the cheaper grades The styles and prices cannot fail to please. It

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AMONG THE CHURCHES

There will be services during this Holy Week in the Reformed church every evening at 7 30 o clock, except Friday and Saturday Good Friday services will be held at 2 p m, and on Saturday afternoon at 2 o clock confirmation service will be held preparatory to the administration of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper Sunday morning at 10 30 o clock Easter Sunday School service will be held in the evening, commencing at 7 o clock

Holy Week will be observed in St James Lutheran church by services every evening except Friday, at 7 30 o'clock Services will be held on Good Friday at 2 p m Communion was administered on Sunday

Christ's Lutheran church will have services Wednesday night this week and on Sunday the Holy Communion will be administered

Palm Sunday was observed in St Paul's Union church with appropriate services Palms were distributed after last Mass On Maundy or Holy Thursday High Mass will be held at 8 a m, followed by the Reconciliation of the Blessed Sacrament to the Repository Service will be held at 9 a m and 7 p m on Good Friday The evening services will consist of the Stations of the Cross and Sermon On Saturday at 7 a m the blessing of the Font and Paschal Candle will be followed by Mass Low Mass will be held at 7 a m Easter Sunday, followed by High Mass at 10 a m Special music will be rendered by the choir Service in the evening at 7 o clock

Appropriate services in the Chapel of the College of Peace will be held on Good Friday at 10 30 a m and 8 p m Easter Sunday services at 10 30 a m, Sunday school at 9 a m The Sunday evening service will be held hereafter at 8 in lieu of 7 o clock as heretofore

ORATOPICAL CONTEST

The Senior Royal Temperance Legion oratorical contest for a medal, presented by the Gettysburg Young Women's Temperance Union was held in Meade School Assembly Hall on Thursday evening before a fair size audience

The four contestants with their subjects were as follows Repah mourning for her sons, Montfort Melchior, The Woman's Christian Temperance Union Miss Tully Dougherty, Visions of Prohibition Miss Louise Stahl, "The Boys of America, Mark Ewert

The judges Dr J W Richard, Dr George D Stahley and Rev D W Woods, awarded the medal to Montfort Melchior Nothing able mention was made as the figures attained by the other three contestants were so nearly alike

An attractive musical program vocal and instrumental, was well rendered the music by the Sophomore Glee Club of College being especially worthy of notice

Much credit is due Mrs Frances Walter for her untiring efforts to make the entertainment the great success that it was

BARN BURNED

The large barn on the Thomas Walter place formerly Andrew Marshall's farm in Hamiltonban township, was destroyed by fire on Sunday evening It was discovered to be on fire about 7 o clock

The flames quickly spread to the wagon shed and hog pen and soon the three buildings were totally consumed, together with all Mr Walter's stock, consisting of fourteen head of cattle, five head of horses, and 15 head of hogs Beside the loss of stock nearly all of Mr Walter's farming implements and about three hundred bushels of wheat belonging to Mr Marshall were destroyed The loss is estimated at from $4000 to $5000 This is partly covered by insurance of $1200 on buildings and $400 on produce, in the Adams County Company

How the fire started is not known

BASE BALL

The base ball season of Gettysburg College opened on Saturday when the team defeated the Franklin and Marshall College team on the latter's grounds in Lancaster, by a score of 14 to 8

To day at 2 15 p m, Syracuse University, of Syracuse, N Y, will play Gettysburg College on Nixon Field This will be the first game at home and the team should be encouraged by a good attendance

The make up of the team in Saturday's game was as follows Glatfelter c e, Dale 2nd b, Lantz c f, Krout 3rd b, Hoffman 1st b Dotter r f, Moser l f, White c, and Plank p

A HORRIBLE OUTBREAK —"Of large sores on my little daughter's head developed into a case of scald head" writes C D Isbill of Morganton, Tenn, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve completely cured her It's a guaranteed cure for Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Pimples Sores, Boils and Piles Only 25c at S J Codori's 4

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TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

The Town Council met in regular session last Tuesday evening, all the members present

A petition on behalf of certain residents, asking for a change in the ordinance respecting show and concert licenses, was offered It was referred to the Ordinance Committee

The Police reported a number of lights not burning A reduction of $5 50 on the bill was ordered

The Highway Committee reported favorably to continuing work at the old quarry and the use of a screen with the crusher, believing that better results would follow than heretofore, and that the expense would be less than if stone were bought elsewhere and transported here

The same committee reported the Stevens Run Sewer above Carlisle street out of repair The committee was directed to look after the matter

On a suggestion from Mr Tudor that the policemen desired to be uniformed and asked assistance from the borough, the Property Committee was directed to get prices and to assist the officers in procuring uniforms, council agreeing to allow $10 to each officer It was said that the policemen had been offered help in this direction by several business men of the town, but it was the sense of Council that the policemen should be free from all obligations to individual citizens, and should therefore not accept such assistance

President Garvin appointed Harry A Trostle a member of the Board of Health The appointment was confirmed

The following bills were approved and ordered to be paid

Elec Light Co	$ 206 [illegible]
C H Wilson repairs to engine	1 00
C T Stahl printing	13 15
C A Trostle Jr Secretary	[illegible] 0 00
" "	50 00
" " Sundaes Coupons	100 00
A Warner Supt	25 00
J Kerr Labor	3 00
A Rubenstine "	1 75
G Deardorff "	1 12
I Gallagher "	5 37
C Culp "	4 50
J Weaver "	
J Talley "	1 12
J Mentzer "	1 00
I Bigham cutting	2 00
I Deardorff hauling	5 20
J Rotrock teaming	1 50
B Bigham "	1 50
L Myers "	[illegible]
J Fox "	2 10
C H Wilson Jr Co	10 00
J P Hughes	30 00
T Carver Janitor	0 00

COURT BUSINESS

In the matter of Pius A Miller, J L Butt and John C McPherson, trustees, vs David R Schriver, Judge Swope handed down a decision dismissing the complaint of the plaintiffs

The facts in this case as set out by the complaint, are—that Edw A Weaver was on the 14th day of November, 1899, declared an involuntary bankrupt that on the 25th day of March, 1899, said Edward A Weaver was the owner of three tracts of real estate that on the 25th day of March, 1899, Edward A Weaver and wife conveyed this real estate to David R Schriver, subject to the payment of certain judgments and notes, that said deed was recorded on the 12th day of October, 1899 that on the 25th day of March, 1899, Edward A Weaver was totally insolvent the complainants aver that the above deed is void under the laws of Pennsylvania, and under the act of Congress approved July 1st, 1898

The Court finds "we are inclined to believe that in order to invalidate transfers the petition in bankruptcy must have been filed within four months from the time of the transfer itself, and that the failure to record does not extend the time" It is therefore, ordered that the bill of the complainants be dismissed

In Smith Martin vs J A Jasper, a motion to take off non suit, the court finds that no error was committed in entering the non suit

Tavern license of John W Shepherd, of York Springs, transferred to Winfield S Myers, of Mechanicsburg Cumberland county

George Trostle, administrator of Peter Trostle, late of Straban township, deceased, discharged

Geo A Weikert executor of William Weikert late of Union township deceased, discharged

Harvey W Mummert executor of Lena Mummert late of Hamilton township deceased, discharged

The first and final account of Jacob B Bontsong, guardian of Cora J Deardorff confirmed and guardian discharged

Private sale of a tract of land of 100 acres in Menallen township by J L Butt and David G Minter, assignees of Francis Cole to Wm A Martin for $4000 confirmed

DOT THE MINER'S DAUGHTER

"Dot the Miner's Daughter" a drama in 4 acts, will be given by pupils of the High School in Assembly Hall, on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, the proceeds to be used in the purchase of new books for the library The entertainment should, therefore, be liberally patronized

From all accounts the play is a good one and will be well presented

Reserved seats 25c general admission 15c.

CAST OF CHARACTERS

David Mason	Harvey Deals
Herbert Mason	Norman Hoke
Royal Meadows	John Gilbert
Arthur Floyd	James Diller
Geo Griffith	Allen Dickson
Lasor Swift	Carl McAllister
Bill Tom	
Dr Walker	Paul Baschoor
Doug	George Wierman
Mrs Mason	Sadie Deals
Dorcas "Dot"	Helen Bream
Mrs Griffith	Daisy Long
Widow Clifton	Grace Troxell
Aunt Hope	Nellie Tate

FARMERS ASSOCIATION

Meeting of the Adams County Farmers' Association Saturday, April 14th Program

"The Farmers Economic Conditions," D F Lorney, Esq, Conewago township

"The Future of Farming (Supplementary)," Aaron Sheely Gettysburg

Paper by Arthur Griest (Subject to be chosen by Speaker,) Cumensey

"Little Economies of the Farm," W H Black, Flora Dale

"Good Citizenship," Hon Theo McAllister, Gettysburg

"Report of Committee on Legislation" Hon P H Houck, Gettysburg Com

Sheriff's Sales

On Thursday Sheriff F W Morrison sold the following properties belonging to Harry I Lerew

No 1, a lot of ground improved, known as the Hotel property, situated in Biglerville, to J L Butt, Esq, for $3,005

No 2, a lot of ground in Biglerville, improved with a frame stable with cattle yard attached, ice house and other buildings, to J L Butt, Esq, for $900

No 3 a lot of ground in York Springs borough, improved with a two story brick dwelling house and out buildings, was purchased by John Tudor for $501

OILING —The ladies are invited to an opening of trimmed Hat and Bonnets, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, of this week Miss A S Barr 1t

I HAVE just received a car load of wall paper from 2 cts up HARRY GILBERT, a3.tf opposite Eagle Hotel.

ONE second-hand Agnore Piano for sale cheap at G E Spangler's Music Rooms, 30 York street, Gettysburg, Pa

BLACKSMITH STAND —A good blacksmith stand at Roundtop for rent or sale Possession 1st of April Apply to OLIVER F. ROUZER, m20. 4t* Sedgwick, Adams Co., Pa.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

A deed of assignment was made last Friday by Millard Fillmore Stover and wife, of Straban township, to William C. Storrick, of same township It conveys 2 tracts of land of 84 and 20 acres respectively

Friday night aweek, at her home in Barnitz, Cumberland county, Mrs Jane Ann Pfeiler, wife of Lafayette Pfeiler, died at an advanced age One of her daughters, Mrs Anna L Hoffman, lives in York Springs, this county

Easter services will be held in the Reformed church at McKnightstown on Sunday evening at 7 15 o clock

There will be Communion in the Reformed church at Cashtown on Sunday, April 22nd, in the morning at 10 o clock,

At a sale of stocks in York, Tuesday evening, for the estate of I S Trimmer, ten shares stock of People's Bank of Hanover sold for $68 10 a share, and two shares of Berlin R R stock at 60 cent

The receipts for the Ninth Internal Revenue district for the month of March were $290,562 78, those for cigars being the largest, $190 977 [illegible] The receipts show a loss of nearly $40,000 from that of last month

The Naval Appropriation bill, unprecedented so far as House Naval Committee reports go, and carrying $61,330,910, of which sum $28,350,000 is for war ships, exclusive of armor and armament, was on Thursday reported to the House by Acting Chairman Foss

The Mammoth auditorium at Thirteenth and Central streets Kansas City, in which the Democratic Convention was to have been held on July 4, was swept away by fire in less than 30 minutes last Wednesday, and only the foundations were left intact Upon these the big building is to be duplicated at once by the companies that erected the first one and the new structure will be ready for use by the day set for the convention to meet

Miss M Jeanette Byers, a trained nurse, formerly of Lumberburg, Md, has gone to Cienfuegos, Cuba where she has taken charge of the Hospital Civil

The York Game and Protective Association, which made such a successful experiment of stocking the county last year, is making preparations for the purchase of live quail at the rate of $1 50 per dozen

C L Diehl, of New Oxford, has sold the stock and fixtures of his grocery store to Elmer L Fread of near that place

Revenue Collector H L Hershey on Wednesday appointed storekeepers and gaugers for the Ninth District to succeed officials removed during the past month Among them were S L Hissel, Codorus township, and D S Kunkel Hanover

— Exchange

The York County Medical Society met last week in York The following Gettysburgers were elected delegates to the American Medical Association. Drs A C Ecce, McSherrystown, L J Dice, York, Charles Spangler, York, G A Smith, York, A Long, York, J A Harding of York, H I Gross, North York

A movement for the organization of an Improvement Company in Hanover is in active progress The name and title of the corporation is to be The State Vouch Improvement Co,' and the object is chiefly for the purpose of the development of the town and at the same time of supplying sufficient houses to meet the present demand, caused recently, by several manufacturing industries locating there, creating an unusual demand for houses

An individual representing himself to be a census taker has succeeded in swindling a number of farmers living near Shippensburg He came to secure the signature of the farmer to an order for worthless books on the plea that he is signing a census report

HAVE YOU BACKACHE HEADACHE—Would quickly have you if you used Dr Kings New Life Pills The hands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches They make pure blood and build up your health Only 25 cents Money back if not cured Sold by S J Codori Druggist 4

NOTICE—Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the undersigned for the recording of Deeds Mortgages or other work of the Register & Recorder's Office, to call and settle at once, as after April 1st 1900, all outstanding accounts will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection

SIMON P STOVER, mar 6, tf Gettysburg Pa

HARRY GILBERT, opposite Eagle Hotel has the finest line of wall paper in town 2 cts up a3 tf

BUY the Standard Rotary shuttle Sewing Machine, as it is proven to be the best in the world New machines, $15 up Come and see them G H BRANDON mar20 tf York St

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FOR SALE OR RENT—The two-story Brick Dwelling House on Chambersburg street, now occupied by I J Grunoble — Apply to Calvin Gilbert m 6 tf

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ONE P W L French Lambskin is emphatically the highest grade one dollar ladies' glove imported Try them A postal card with size will bring you a pair by mail Black and colors DOUGHERTY & HARTLEY a 3 2t

MARRIAGES.

MYERS—RICHWINE—April 11 at Littlestown by Rev I G Seitz Mr Charles E Myers of Littlestown, to Miss Lillie P Richwine of Germany township

KLANS—JOHNSON—April 1st at Littlestown, by Rev F G Seitz, Mr Geo Klaus of Hanover, to Miss Georgia A Johnson of Littlestown

NULL—SHAFER—March 28 at Littlestown by Rev F S Lindaman Mr Elmer H Null of Pleasantown Md to Miss Florence E Staub, of Hunterstown, Md

SHAFER—LIPPY—March 21 at Gettysburg by Dr I J Barkley Mr Charles H Shafer to Miss Grace M Lippy, both of Manchester, Md

HINKY—ROUZER—April 3, at Hanover by Rev Dr C M Stock Mr William J Hinky, of Philadelphia to Miss Nannie Rouzer of Hanover the bride is a daughter of Oliver Rouzer formerly of this place

DEATHS.

DEATHS FREE TRIBUTES, VERSES, &c, 5 CENTS A LINE

PENSYL—April 1, at Bendersville, Mrs G. W Pensyl

BUSH—April 6, at Bendersville, daughter of Claudius Bush, aged about 9 years

KUHN—April 4, near Willow Grove, Mrs Susan Kuhn, aged 78 years Interment at Tobias church

BUSH—March 25, at Allegheny City, infant son of Newman and Ida Plank aged 11 months and 16 days Interment at Arendtsville, their former home

SPALDING—April 4 in Germany township, James Spalding, Sr aged 76 years

HILBERT—April 2, in Union township, Jesse Hilbert, aged 24 years

SMILE—March 31 at Mount Rock, Miss Stella Smith, aged 8 years

MILLER—March 30 Tobias Miller, aged 87 years, 1 month and 17 days

Had he asked us, well we know
We should say O spare the blow
You with streaming tears should pray,
Lord we love him, let him stay
In love he lived, in peace he died,
His life was asked, but God denied
Dust unto, farewell,
A fairer home than ours
In Heaven is now his abode

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SHOES.

C. B. KITZMILLER.

Franklin Twp Road Account

SHERIFF'S SALES.

ON WEDNESDAY [illegible]

NOTICE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

NOTICE [illegible]

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INCOME

Receipts for Premiums	$ 14,321,313 25
Interest & Rents	1,365,525 99
	$ 15,686,839 24

DISBURSEMENTS

To Policyholders this year	$ 11,029,374 49
Expenses, Taxes, Agents' Balances, Commissions, &c	2,734,057 12
	13,763,431 61

ASSETS

Bonds and Mortgages	$ 15,187,850 00
Loans on Collateral Security	$ 1,195,861 74
Real Estate (Home Office Building, Cost $1,000,000 Less Mortgage $500,000)	71,794 54
Premiums Deferred	530,000 00
Interest Due and Accrued	1,571,892 16
Cash in Banks and Trust Companies	28,186 [illegible]
Agents' Balances	13,011 [illegible]
Other Assets	6,205,025 47
	$ 20,814,555 [illegible]

LIABILITIES

Reserve to Reinsure Outstanding Policies	$ 17,711,395 [illegible]
Dividends Apportioned for Payment in 1900	1,475,000 00
Dividends Payable in 1900 on Policies Terminated	2,000 00
Dividends Payable in 1900 on Policies in Force	1,101,000 00
Other Liabilities	6,205,025 47
	$ 20,814,555 [illegible]

Insurance in Force [illegible]

The [illegible] Statement is certified to by the Officers of the Company as the Law requires

GEORGE W. PHILLIPS, Actuary

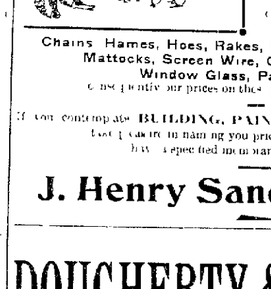
NOTE [illegible]

The GUARANTEES continued in the Policies of THE MUTUAL LIFE are larger than those in any other Company.

GEORGE A. TRIMMER,

DISTRICT MANAGER FOR ADAMS COUNTY

YORK SPRINGS, PA.



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Our dress goods we bought before the advanced prices of to day We have experienced some trouble in getting them at price, but we have three shipments of them and we promised the last one this week

Black Dress Goods.

Ours is a Stock from which the lover of Black Goods may be satisfied We have given special attention to this line and to quality and price we invite comparison, from city stores or elsewhere We name a few popular makes

Lundowns Cheviots, Serges, Cannels Hair, Melrose, Venetian Cloth Whip Cords, &c

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This fabric now so much in vogue for Ladies Waists, is here in full range of colors, Cream, Pink, Navy, Automobile, Cardinal, Light Blue, &c, advertised in city at from 58c to 75c, our price is **50c** while they last, is they cannot be duplicated at price

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The Compiler.

Gettysburg, Pa., Tuesday, April 10, 1900.

WHEAT INSECTS.

THE JOINT WORM—THE ARMY WORM—LIFE HISTORY TREATMENT ETC

The following is from Bulletin No. 46, Penna. Department of Agriculture

The Joint Worm

This insect is occasionally injurious to wheat in Pennsylvania, and its attacks are usually confused with those of the Hessian fly. It is a very small insect, about an eighth of an inch long when adult, with four wings, and has been compared in general appearance to a small ant.

LIFE HISTORY

The adult insect lays its eggs near one of the lower joints of the stalk about the last of May or first of June, boring a little hole on the stem in order to do this. The young larvae which hatch from these eggs lie in little cavities and extract the sap, thus preventing the proper growth of the parts above, and causing the stem where they are to form the little galls, and become hard and woody. When the attack is serious the stalk is swollen and bent over at this place. Here they spend the summer, and in the fall become pupæ and pass the winter, and escape by little holes in the sides of the galls, as adults the following spring in time to lay their eggs on the wheat of that year.

There is but one brood a year. They attack wheat, rye and barley.

DISTRIBUTION

The joint worm is probably a native of this country and was first reported between 18[illegible] and 18[illegible], from Massachusetts, where it did much damage. Subsequently it appeared in Virginia, causing serious losses. Since that time it has appeared in nearly all the Eastern States and Ohio, while closely related forms attack grain in a somewhat similar way farther west.

PARASITES.

There are several insects which prey upon this pest and are of much service to the wheat grower.

TREATMENT

As the entire life of the joint worm, except its adult state, is passed in the stalks of the wheat, any method which will destroy these will be successful. The best plan to follow, usually, is to cut the infested fields rather high to leave as much of the lower part of the stems as possible in stubble, then burn this. Plowing under is also a good method, except that it is difficult to plow deeply enough to prevent the insects making their way to the surface in the spring.

Many of the hardened pieces of straw are broken off in threshing and are carried by their weight with the grain from the threshing machine. These should be gathered and burned.

The Wheat Stem Saw Fly

This insect has long been known in Europe as an enemy to wheat and rye, where it has caused much injury. In this country it has made its appearance in widely separated localities but thus far has been less injurious than abroad.

LIFE HISTORY

The adult insect, which is about a third of an inch long, lays its eggs inside the stem, cutting a hole through for this purpose. The egg is usually laid in the upper part of the stem, some time in May. The young which hatches from the egg eats its way downward, feeding on the substances of the joints and on the inside tissues of the stem. In this way it works down until about harvesting time, when it is usually at or near the lowest joint, here it eats a circular ring in the stalk, leaving only the very outside to support the upper portion. It now spins about itself a delicate case (cocoon) and remains quiet until the following spring, when it undergoes some internal changes to become the adult which now appears, to lay its egg as before.

The injury caused by this insect is of two kinds. The eating of the centers of the joints and of the inside layers of the stem prevent development of the heads. Later the cutting of a circular ring near the lower joint so weakens the stem that this is likely to break off and cause the affected stems to fall where they cannot be reached in harvesting.

DISTRIBUTION

As already stated, the wheat stem fly is a native of Europe. Just how it was brought to this country is not known but as it sometimes does not reach the lower joints before the grain in cut, it is possible that it was introduced here in straw used in packing which contained some of the cocoons. In America it has been reported from New York, Canada and Manitoba, and its presence is suspected in Ohio and West Virginia. Accordingly it may be met with in Pennsylvania at any time.

PARASITES AND TREATMENT

Little is known of parasites in this country, though such occur in Europe. As the insects with few exceptions, pass the winter in the stubble, however, the treatment is simple. Either burn the stubbles or plow it deep, after harvest, to destroy the insects in it. If the insect ever becomes serious it would also pay to burn the straw after threshing also, to destroy those which, having failed to get down to the stubble, have been harvested in the stems.

The Army Worm

The army worm is a very serious pest, not alone to wheat, but to many other crops as well. Its preferred food is the leaves of some grass, and accordingly wheat and oats are favorite articles of diet. On the other hand, the insect will eat many other plants and cause much injury. It has been known to feed on the leaves of clover, peas, strawberry, apple, cucumber, cranberry, asparagus, onions as well as barley and rye and other crops. Such omnivorous feeders are always to be feared, especially when abundant, and it is fortunate that they are seldom seriously numerous for more than a year or two in any one place.

LIFE HISTORY.

This insect passes the winter either as the adult moth, the caterpillar, or possibly as the pupa. In either case the adult stage is reached in the spring and the eggs for the first brood are laid. The caterpillars which hatch from these eggs feed, grow, enter the ground and pupate and the moths they produce appear in June. These moths lay eggs for the second brood (which is usually the one which, while in the caterpillar stage, causes most damage about the middle of July). These caterpillars pupate about the end of July and the moths from them appear in August and lay their eggs for third brood. Sometimes it is the caterpillars from this brood which are destructive, but more often the most serious injury is caused by those of the second brood. The caterpillars of the third brood feed and generally succeed in reaching the adult (moth) stage before winter, though some usually fail to progress so far and spend the winter either as caterpillar or pupa. A fourth brood may possibly exist in Southern Pennsylvania.

INJURIES

The first or spring brood of caterpillars usually feeds unnoticed, eating holes in the leaves and dropping to the ground when disturbed.

When the food in their immediate neighborhood is all consumed, however, the caterpillars must search for more—something that does not occur in most years, as they are not often sufficiently abundant to eat all the food, even in the second brood. When, however, they are so abundant as to exhaust their food supply, they set off together, forming the armies which have given them the name "Army worm," to find new pastures. This usually occurs with the second and third brood, rather than the first. As they reach new fields they strip them as they go. Finally, when they have fed enough, they seek sheltered places and, either under the leaves and grass or just below the surface of the ground, they change from the caterpillar to the pupa stage, from which after a time the moth emerges.

The injuries, as this outline indicates, are caused by the caterpillar feeding. This occurs three times each season, but individuals of the first brood are rarely abundant enough to do a noticeable amount of harm. The second brood if sufficiently abundant, will strip the field where it is then pass to other fields to repeat the operation, though this process may not take place till the third brood has appeared.

DISTRIBUTION

The army worm is widely distributed, being found in many parts of the world. It is known to occur nearly all over the United States, in certain islands of the West Indies, in South America, England, Java, Australia and New Zealand.

PARASITES

Fortunately this insect has a number of parasites which attack it, and it is probably due to this that destructive "raids" do not often occur two years in succession in the same locality. Two flies in particular, attack the insect and are sometimes so abundant in fields where the army worm is present as to produce a noticeable buzzing. In all, about twenty insects are known to prey upon this pest and are of much benefit in preventing its continued ravages.

TREATMENT

If a field has become thoroughly infested by army worms, there is little which can be done. As the insect passes the winter in sheltered places, under grass and rubbish, burning such places, especially along the fences, late in the fall, will destroy many. Birds, particularly our song birds, are believed to feed freely on the army worm, and they should be protected by the farmer and encouraged to breed.

When it is noticed that the insects have begun to strip the fields a bran mash is sometimes used successfully. This is made by mixing thirty five pounds of wheat bran, one gallon of molasses and one pound of Paris green in hot water enough to make the mash properly thick. This is scattered over the field just before night and usually succeeds in inducing many of the caterpillars to feed upon it rather than upon the crops and kills them.

When the caterpillars have begun to march in search of food, other methods to protect exposed fields may be used. One way to do this is to plow a furrow across their line of march, with the land side of the furrow toward the field to be protected. By this method the caterpillar must first crawl over the lose earth turned up, then over the bottom of the furrow. If, at intervals of about ten feet, holes be dug in the bottom of the furrow, many caterpillars will collect in these and die. The holes should be about two feet deep and a couple of inches in diameter, and can be made with an auger such as used for making fence-post holes. If straw be plenty this can be scattered along in the furrow and burned when the caterpillars have thickly covered it, or a band of tar in the same place may be used to hold the caterpillar fast. Two furrows a few feet apart, are still better.

A field may often be protected by heavily spraying a strip at the edge which the caterpillars are approaching, with Paris green and water, or sprinkling it with Paris green and lime mixed. The caterpillars feed on this strip, are poisoned, and die. Care should be taken, however if this plan is followed, that this portion of the field be not cut and fed to stock but destroyed.

These are the best methods for controlling the army worm, but where it becomes sufficiently abundant to travel in armies, the field from which it travels is usually an entire loss, as the insect can be kept out of a field much easier than it can be gotten out of a field which it is already in.

Wire Worms.

These are the young of the "Click beetles," or "Snapping beetles," as they are sometimes called from the power they have, when placed on their backs, of "snapping" themselves into the air in order to turn over and alight on their feet. There are a number of kinds, but they all injure the roots of crops in the same way, by feeding on them.

LIFE HISTORY

The eggs are laid in the spring and the little wire worms which hatch from them feed upon the roots of plants. They grow slowly and often require several years to reach their full size. When this has been attained they become quiet and undergo internal changes (pupation) and the following spring the adult beetles appear. This pupation and the production of the beetle as a result, usually takes place in the fall, but the beetles generally remain where they are until spring before coming to the surface of the ground.

TREATMENT

Though in exceptional cases, treatment by insecticides may be successful, as a usual thing other methods are more effective. Plowing late in the fall will bring most of the pupæ and adult beetles up where they will be exposed to and killed by the winter weather, and though this will not destroy the insects in the wire-worm stage, yet, if repeated for several years the insects will be gradually reduced in numbers till they are so few as to do little damage.

Rotation of crops is also a good way in which to check the wire-worms, especially if the land be kept only one year in grass and be not directly followed by potatoes and corn. Kainit for fertilizing is believed by many to be destructive to the small wire-worms, and on this view the treatment, particularly in light soils, should be as follows: "Plow in fall, in spring, after cultivating and preparing for the new crop, fertilize heavily, using kainit for potash, and nitrate of soda, so far as possible, for nitrogen. At least one thousands pounds of kainit per acre should be used. The fertilizers will not prove satisfactory unless applied as directed, i. e., in one heavy application, and when the ground is bare." Fall plowing, repeated for several years, is the most certain remedy.

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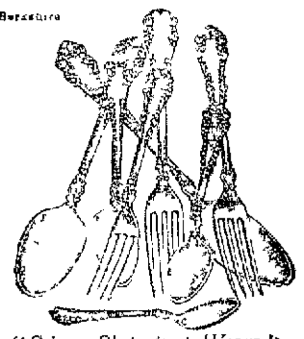

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Fried oysters, waffles and such coffee as a Parisian cook could not improve upon. The little supper had been ready full half an hour, while Juliet Keyser leaned sorrowfully against the casement watching the brown sparrows in the gutter and the gradual fall of twilight.

Suddenly she rang the bell.

"You may take the supper away, Betsey," she said to the little maid. "It is not likely your master will be home now."

Meanwhile Mrs. Keyser was left to her own meditations.

"How foolish I am to cry!" she thought. "I'll go and look at the baby."

But it was past 11 o'clock when Mr. Keyser's key grated in the door latch.

"What, sitting up, Etty?" he cried gayly. "Why, I supposed you would be asleep and dreaming long ago. Etty, you are not in the sulks?"

"No," said Mrs. Keyser, swallowing a little lump in her throat, "I am not in the sulks, Fred." And there the matter dropped.

And the next morning she was as fresh as a daisy and as sweet as a sugar lump.

"Oh, I say, Etty," said Mr. Keyser as he was buttoning on his fur lined gloves, "I may bring one or two of the fellows home to dinner with me."

"Very well," said Etty, smiling to herself.

At 5:30 precisely Mr. Keyser, accompanied by Tom Osborne, a great, brawny six footer of a fellow and Joseph Marden, a spectacled little old bachelor who was looked up to as a wit and genius, entered the little parlor. But it was empty.

"Where's your mistress?" demanded Keyser of the maid a little impatiently.

"Please, sir," said Betsey, "I don't know."

"Where's the dinner?"

"I don't know either," asseverated Betsey. "There was a leg of lamb sent home and oysters and a salad, and they are on the kitchen table now."

Keyser looked at his friends. The two friends looked at Keyser.

"Some mistake," said Fred, essaying a galvanic sort of smile. "We'll just adjourn to Levini's. It's only a step or two around the corner, and Levini gets up a fine article of turtle soup."

Marden and Osborne grinned at one another, and Fred Keyser had to make believe he did not see them.

He came home after settling the bill at Levini's, including wines, cigars etc. It soiled the balance of his bill—in rather a savage temper.

"Hasn't your mistress come in yet?" he demanded.

"No, sir, she ain't, and the fires have all gone out, with me a tendin' baby," whimpered Betsey. "So now if you'll take it, sir—"

"But where is she?"

"The Lord only knows, sir, I don't," groaned poor Betsey.

"This is unpleasant," snarled the deserted husband. "Julia must be crazy, or else she—she has eloped."

At the bare idea the baby lay the baby down on the sofa and rushed to the front door. Then, spurred by the shrieks of the infantile Nero, ... he ran back to take it on his knee and bawl out whatever snatches of nursery rhymes he could remember at so short a notice.

"I shall go crazy!" said Mr. Keyser. "Where is my wife?" Then was the clock striking 9. "Nine o'clock and she not at home!"

Just then the door swung open, and Mrs. Keyser entered, in her hat and furs.

"Nine o'clock. Upon my word I hadn't any idea it was so late," she said airily. "I hope you haven't missed me, dear?"

"Missed you!" echoed Keyser.

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"Juliet!" said Mr. Keyser.

"Yes, my dear," said his wife.

"Are you crazy?"

"Not that I am aware of, Mr. Keyser."

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